

Terms & Conditions

- 1. Present this coupon before
- purchasing the ticket 2. One coupon can be used
- 4. This coupon cannot be used
- 5. This coupon can be used only until 31 October 2011.



Splendid Sea view ndid International Cuisine

无敌海景 国际风味 Processed





• ตัดคูปองส่วนนี้เพื่อใช้เป็นส่วนลด 10% ที่ Food Wave Bu 3 Royal Garden Plaza Pattava

在收银台出示此券可获得10%的折扣(折扣仅限于食物不包括饮料)

- คูปองนี้ไม่สามารถเปลี่ยนเป็นเงินสดได้ • ทบดเขต 31 ปี.ศ 2554
- · Present this coupon for 10% discount at Food Wave, 3rd fl., Royal Garden Plaza Pattaya
- · Cannot be changed into cash
- · Valid till October 31, 2011

FOODWALE

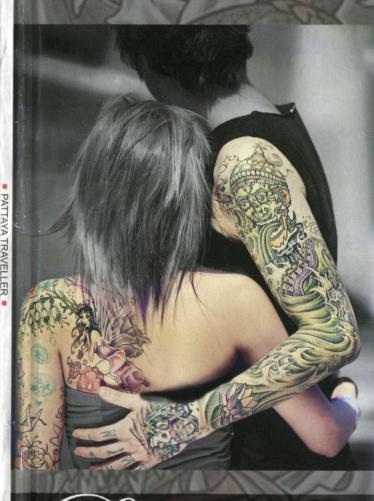




12 No.

Pattaya

DINING SHOPPING ENTERTAINMENT



The Hottest Real Estate Deals in the City



Jump from 4 000m / 13,000 ft Freefall Speed of 200km/h / 120mph!!!

One of life's most memorable moments...safe, highly experienced professionals and equipment. See the world from a different perspective... experience true freedom.

Return transfer incl. from Pattaya

Tandem Skydive



USPA Drop Zone

call: 085 900 3412

www.thaiskyadventures.com

info@thaiskyadventures.com

Flight of the Gibbon

The Rainforest Adventure

Voted Best

A full-day experience for extreme fun and nature lovers

The beautiful, fragile world of the rainforest treetop ecosystem revealed with ziplines and skybridges. An exhilarating opportunity to soar through the canopy, combining adrenaline with a unique wildlife experience.

From high above the forest floor you will view life from a perspective once reserved for a select group of scientists.

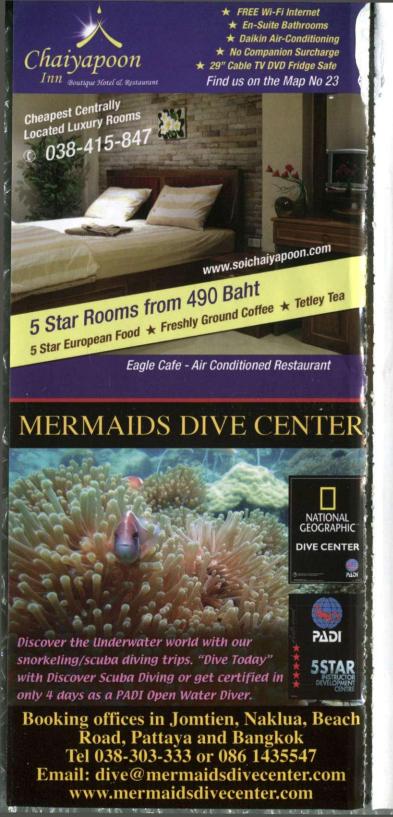
VIP minibus transport included, 1 hour from Pattaya, 1 ½ hours from Bangkok, about 3-3 ½hours in the treetops exploring over 3km of biodiversity, lunch or supper in the jungle sala, a trek in the jungle and a tour of the adjacent Khao Kheeo Safari Park full of exotic animals.

Tel. 08 99 70 55 11 www.treetopasia.com

SAVE THE PLANET AND BOOK DIRECT

on our website and we will pay for your air travel's carbon emissions to be offset with our tree planting program.





Pattaya Pattaya

DINING SHOPPING ENTERTAINMENT



Welcome to Pattaya, the most happening oceanside resort in Asia! Pattaya really does have everything. Superb hotels, a huge variety of restaurants including the best seafood you have ever tasted, endless sports and leisure activities, a dozen world-class golf courses, value-for-money shopping, and of course a nightlife scene unlike anything you will have ever seen before.

No matter if you are staying in Pattaya as a family, a couple, on your own, part of a tour, or with a convention or incentives group, this is the city with it all. Have a fantastic time in Pattaya.

CONTENTS

The Pattaya Guide	10
Useful Information	14
Listing Language & Computer School	19
Directorg of Businesses & Locations	22
Tattoo and Thailand	25
Sports / Outdoor Activities	31
Other Sports & Outdoor Activities	34
Sukhumvit Map	40
Car Rental	46
Here To Your Health	49
Pattaya White Pages	56
Popular Dining	61
Guide to buying Property	66
High End Condos & Pool Villa	69
Motorcycle Story	82

Pattaya Traveller is a monthly publication, published by Arc Media Publishing Co., Ltd. Copyright © 2008 -11 All rights reserved

All correspondence regarding editorial and advertising should be addressed to:

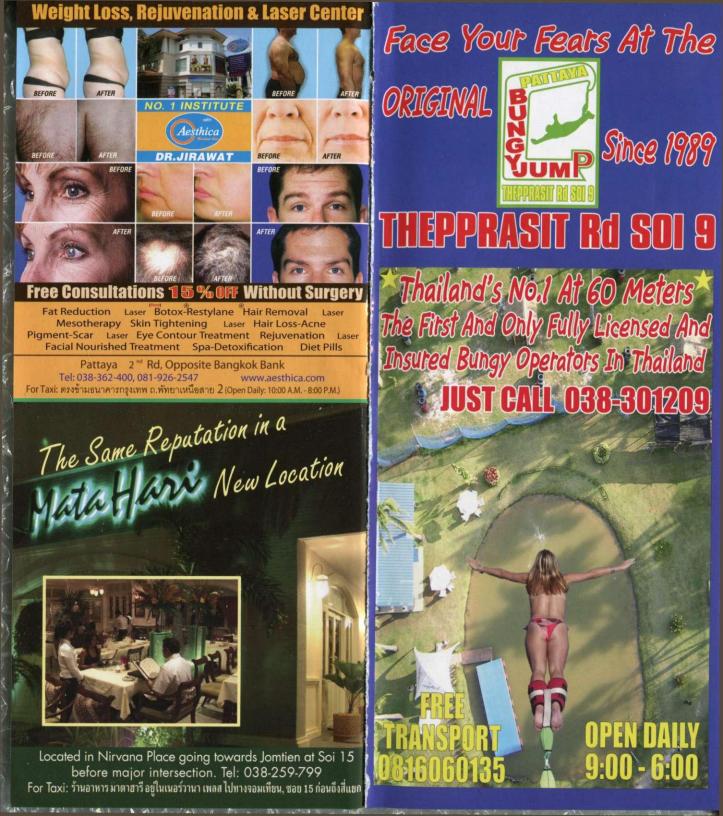
Arc Media Publishing Co., Ltd.

V. Office Bldg. 12th Floor, Soi Ratchadapisek 26, Ratchadapisek Road,
Samsennok, Huay Kwang, Bangkok 10310

Tel: 02-541-5057, 02-541-5479; Fax: 02-967-7078
E-mail: arcmedia@csloxinfo.com

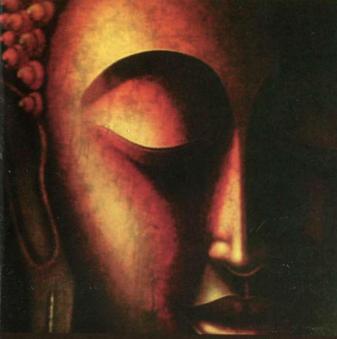
Disclaimer: All legal disputes concerning any claims
or damages to be settled in the courts of Bangkok.

Pattaya Contact:
Tom Rossetti (Regional Manager)
Tel / Fax: 0-3830-0729, Mobile: 081-801-3724
E-mail: rossetti@ptty2.loxinfo.co.th





Thai Decor Best Quality Best Prices



Thai art & design, objects deart and quality decorative furniture at very affordable prices

Seasonal Sale - 30% Off-Limited Period



Tel: (081) 000-7664, (084) 031-9673 Worldwide Door to Door Shipping Service

BE TEMPTED

Good Food, Great Service + Excellent Coffee



Open from 7am for breakfast, lunch, dinner, coffee or cake.

:: All Day Breakfast

:: Grills & Thai favourites

:: Pasta, Gourmet Sandwiches, Salads

:: Heineken draught

:: No service charge

:: Free Wi Fi with any purchase

The Coffee Club Pattaya

Grd Floor, Royal Garden Plaza 2nd Road Entrance, Tel - 038 711325

@thecoffeeclubth of The Coffee Club Thailand

COFFEE CLUB_®

CAFE . BAR . RESTAURANT

Hi everybody, and welcome to The Coffee Club.

At The Coffee Club our signature blend coffee is UTZ certified; which comes with the assurance that every coffee you enjoy is produced in a socially and environmentally responsible way.

Our BARISTAS are expertly trained and ensure that every cup of coffee is carefully and lovingly prepared to give you an excellent coffee experience every time.

This month's special offer is "Buy one Coffee, receive one coffee free"

Just bring in the voucher below to receive this great offer.

We are open from 7am every day for breakfast, lunch, dinner, cake and coffee.

With free wi-fi for our customers and no service charge.

We are located on the Ground Floor of Royal Garden Plaza.

** NORTH PATTAYA OUTLET OPENING OCTOBER 2011**

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Cheers

The Coffee Club Team, Pattaya

Tel: 038-711-325 Fax: 038-711-324

> Buy one Coffee Receive one Free

THE COFFEE CLUB.

Where will I meet you?

The Pattaya Traveller

Welcome to Pattaya

Pattaya lies 150km to the southeast of Bangkok, less than two hours by road, and stretches for some 15km along the Eastern Seaboard. Thailand's largest resort, it shares the coast with traditional fishing villages, other resorts such as Bang Saen and Rayong, new industrial centres, the towns of Chonburi and Sriracha, and the port and naval base of Sattahip. Pattaya beach is a palm-fringed, sandy bay with a view of coral islands on the horizon. Nearby are other cliffs and other bays, while inland, the region is rich in agricultural products including sugar cane, tapioca, rubber, and fruit trees.



Pattaya in the 1960s was just a little fishing village, until a few Bangkok residents began to take their weekends here and generated a modest local tourist industry. Even so, the only hotel of any size was the Nipa Lodge; other accommodation tended towards

holiday bungalows and beach huts. The Vietnam War saw the start of Pattaya's international reputation, for the fledgling resort was used as an official R&R centre for the US forces. They were flown into U-Tapao Airport which was built for American use at the time, and shops, services, bars and hotel accommodation grew to meet the demand.

Pattaya is now a city in its own right, with its own mayor and its own administration. This is not all due to tourism. The government development programme for the Eastern Seaboard has transformed the region, and this rapid industrial and commercial expansion has led to many expatriates coming to live in the area. There is a new deep-sea port at Laem Chabang, 20 km north of Pattaya with a vast industrial estate, and another development zone at Map Ta Phut near Rayong to the south. Pattaya City is well located to be a major business centre serving these two giant industrial communities. There are five international schools and four international hospitals in the area.

Fun for All

As a beach resort with city status, Pattaya has something for everyone. Whereas most other beach resorts rely simply on natural surroundings for their charm, Pattaya makes an all-out attempt to provide the best of everything There is just about everything you can think of for recreation, entertainment, sightseeing and fun. Pattaya can be whatever you want it to be. Such is its variety that it is ideal for all kinds of visitors. While there is plenty to keep the children happily occupied, there is

also everything for the sports enthusiastic, for couples of all ages seeking rest and relaxation and for those who are simply looking for warm sunshine.

After-dark, options include open-air bars, nightclubs, cabaret shows and discos. The nightlife centre is South Pattaya, popularly known as "The Strip", but if this is a trifle brash and noisy for some tastes, there are alternative, quieter spots for evening fun in more relaxed style. Shopping too, can be an evening

attraction. Most establishments close late, and the dedicated bargain hunter can find all of Thailand's best buys - silk, gems and jewellery, tailor-made clothing, handicrafts and more.



Accommodation

Pattaya boasts an incredible choice of accommodation to suit every pocket. Facilities range from luxury hotels with private beaches to bayside hotels and bungalows, and inland, economy class hotels and guest houses.

Getting There

The easiest and most popular way to reach Pattaya is by bus. From the Eastern Bus Terminal (Ekamai) on Sukhumvit Road, there are departures every 30 minutes by air-conditioned bus from 5am until 10pm. The one-way fare is Bt 90. From the Northern Bus Terminal (Morchit II), there are departures again every 30 minutes from 5am until 7pm with a one way fare of Bt 97. Few visitors to Pattaya are aware that the city does have a railway station. It is north of Sukhumvit Rd close to the Siam Country Club. One train a day leaves Bangkok's Hualamphong station at 7am, and it takes up to five hours to reach Pattaya, stopping at many stations along the way. U-Tapao airport, which is located near Sattahip, has very few scheduled flights. Most visitors travelling this way are on chartered flights. Alternatively for those who prefer to arrive with more comfort and style, Image 5 Star Taxi Company can transfer you to Pattaya, 24 hours a day.

Getting Around

For getting around the main bay area, the minibuses and baht buses charge a flat fare of Bt10. The run to Naklua is also Bt10, and to Jomtien Bt30. Drivers usually ask for Bt40 to travel up the hill to the Royal Cliff Beach Resort. Motorcycle hire will cost you between Bt150 and Bt700 a day, depending on size. Be very confident of your ability to handle the bigger bikes, including your skills in taking swift evasive action. Wear a crash helmet. A jeep from a beachside vendor is about Bt1000 a day. Check that you have enough gasoline in the tank to get yourself to the nearest filling station, and satisfy yourself that the brakes are sharp. You will not be asked to show your driving licence, but most of these beachside hire places will ask that you deposit your passport with them. Ask where they are going to keep it, because it may

simply be placed in the attendant's pocket or shoulder bag and travel around with him. Bicycles can be hired from beachside vendors at Bt100 a day, or Bt20 an hour. If you prefer to drive reputable vehicles with full insurance cover, and it is strongly advised, Pattaya has a choice of car rental companies. Two leading names are Budget Car and Truck Rental at Thip Plaza and Avis which is based at the Dusit Resort in North Pattaya. In addition to international standards of service, these companies will also offer you special deals, tour ideas, maps and other attractions to make your stay easier. If you prefer not to self drive then Image 5 Star Taxi Company offers 1 way/ return trips throughout Pattaya or hour by hour hire. They will pickup at your hotel or condo with

their door to door service.



Climate

Pattaya has three seasons: November to February, when it's hot; March to May, when it's hot and humid; and June to October, when it's hot and wet.

Clothing

Dress as lightly as possible. Because of the heat and humidity, man-made fibres are not recommended. Pack some cool cottons, and if you find you are changing your clothes at an alarming rate, you will be able to buy locally made clothing very cheaply. Shorts and sandals are the usual daytime wear. In hotels and the more upmarket restaurants, wear smart casual. If visiting a temple, the usual dress rules apply: gentlemen, no shorts please, and long sleeves are preferred; ladies, no shorts, short skirts, or halter-tops.

Post and Telecommunications

The Post Office and international telephone office are together in South Pattaya on Soi 13/2, known to all as Soi Post Office. There are also several privately run long-distance phone centres, most notably along Beach Road. These will be slightly more expensive than the government service.

Internet Services

As in Bangkok, the number of Internet cafes seems to increase every week. Most will post their rates in the window, and as competition is intense, the prices are invariably low.

Health & Safety

Never drink tap water, and don't even gargle with it. Always use bottled water, which is readily available and inexpensive, particularly if you choose a local brand. The sun is strong, even during the rainy season and when there is cloud cover, so use a good sunscreen and limit your exposure time. Malaria is no threat, but mosquito bites can be a major irritant. Seafood is mostly caught locally and is of high quality, but given the spicy ingredients to

almost any meal, the occasional upset stomach is a possibility. The most likely way of slowing down your vacation is by having an accident, so watch your step when crossing the road, even (or especially) at traffic lights and pedestrian crossings. Medicine for minor ailments are readily available at the many drug stores in the city, and a high standard of medical treatment for more serious problems canbe expected from most of the clinics and hospitals. General practitioners, dentists, opticians and pharmacies are readily available.

Each of the private hospitals has its own ambulance service and 24-hour emergency facilities. Most medical specialties are represented: neurology, orthopedics, obstetrics, gynecology, pediatrics, internal medicine, surgery, urology, dentistry. Bangkok Pattaya Hospital is the referral hospital for cardiac patients as well as for other severe traumas and injuries. Note that an ambulance is not routinely called in the event of an automobile accident, and if you require assistance from the government service, a Thai-speaking person should dial 191 in Pattaya or 193 on the highway to arrange an ambulance service.

For information and advice, the Tourism Authority of Thailand (TAT) Central Office: Region 3 (Pattaya) is open seven days a week throughout the year, including public and national holidays, from 8.30 am until 4.30 pm. Tel (038) 428 750 or 429 113.

Action Attractions

Pattaya is one of the oldest diving centres in this part of Asia. It has a year-round diving season with good visibility, the waters have a mean temperature of 28 degrees C, and there is a rich variety of marine life and coral. There is a great wreck that divers can explore. Located about 1-1/2 hours from Pattaya is the HTMS Khram Wreck. This 60 meter vessel lies upright in 28 meters of water. Here, you can watch as Big Bat Fish, Schooling Baracuda and Sting Ray make their way around the wreck. Most of the centers along the waterfront costs average at about 3,000 baht per day, including transportation, food and equipment.

Visitors can windsurf, water ski, sea walk, swim, sunbathe, snorkel, sail, or take trips to offshore coral islands. They can rent water scooters to explore Pattaya Bay, and motorcycles and jeeps to explore neighbouring beaches such as the increasingly popular Jomtien just south of Pattaya. Tennis enthusiasts can enjoy themselves at the courts of leading hotels. Further entertainment includes bowling alleys, snooker halls, shooting galleries and archery.

USEFUL INFORMATION

Visas

Tourist Visas

Most tourists enter Thailand on an airport issued tourist visa. However, such visas are not available to citizens of every country and, if in doubt, individuals should check prior to travel with an appropriate person or body. Thai embassies would be the best bet, although information is generally also available from travel agents and various on-line resources. By way of example, citizens of the UK, the US, Australia, Germany and France will generally be awarded a 30-day visitor's visa upon arrival. Citizens of China and India will generally be given one for 15 days.

Longer tourist visas can be obtained from Thai embassies and consulates overseas. These are typically 90 day visas. However, upon entering the Kingdom, permission will be granted to stay for 60 days. Confused? You should be. However, an extension for not more than 30 days may be obtained by visiting an immigration office (the Pattaya office is located on Soi 5 at Jomtien Beach). It will cost you 1,900 Baht.

As with any Thai visa, DO NOT under any circumstances overstay. If your default is only spotted as you are leaving the Kingdom, you will simply be fined 500 Baht per day up to a maximum of 20,000 Baht. However, consequences of being caught before you reach the airport can be very severe and are likely to include imprisonment until you can get the money to pay a fine and produce a one way air ticket to your home country.

Non-immigrant visas

Subject to certain conditions, such visas are available for certain classes of foreign nationals, including those who have found employment in Thailand, those married to a Thai national and those of retirement age (for the purpose of this, 50 years of age). For individuals who do not fall into any of those categories, there is provision for multiple entry. Non-immigrant visas to be granted for "other activities". However, it is generally believed that the prospects of obtaining such a visa on such grounds are best at Thai Embassies and Consulates in the US, the UK, Australia and Europe. It is very unlikely one would be issued in a country near to or neighbouring Thailand. Such visas are valid for between three months and one year and the application should

ideally be made to a Thai Embassy or Consulate General in your home country.

Ordinary multiple entry Non-immigrant visas, valid for twelve months, will nevertheless require the holder to report to the Immigration Office with completed form TM47 every 90 days. Other classes of Non-immigrant visas require the holder to report to their local immigration office every 90 days. If you are uncertain as to the requirements for your particular visa, you are advised to speak to the Thai Immigration Service. It pays to be sure because even an honest mistake will mean you are guilty of overstaying and subject to the harsh punishments outlined above.

Remember, only those individuals with a valid work permit may work in the Kingdom.

Warning

Under no circumstances must you allow any agent to renew your visa for you. Although certain unscrupulous individuals will offer such a service, it is illegal. Moreover, both an agent undertaking the service and the foreign national benefiting from it are committing an offence. You MUST renew your visa in person. Anyone found not to have done so will be arrested, charged with illegal entry into the Kingdom and not only deported, but also blacklisted, meaning they will be unable to return to Thailand in the future.

"Thailand Elite" Membership Card

Although very expensive at between one and two million Baht, depending upon the status of the proposed member, it is now possible to apply for a Thailand Elite membership card, which brings a number of benefits to those lucky enough to be able to afford the cost and to be accepted into the scheme. Most notably, membership brings with it a special five-year visa, travel privileges and, subject to certain limitations, the right to own land.

Always carry your Passport

The immigration service can fine you for not having your passport with you at any time, although a good quality photocopy should usually be acceptable so long as it includes the following:

- * Title page (the one with your photo and personal information)
- * Visa page
- * Latest entry stamp
- * Immigration departure card

Owning Property in Thailand

Land

As a matter of Thai law, foreigners are prohibited from owning land in Thailand. This includes foreign-owned companies, although, in theory, a company with a simple majority Thai ownership (i.e 51% Thai) can do so. However, in practice, to get through the necessary hurdles without complications, any such company should be 60 to 70% Thai owned. There is now a conditional and limited exception to this for holders of a Thailand Elite Membership Card.

Leases

In simple terms, it is permissible for foreign nationals to lease land in Thailand for up to 30 years and such a lease can be renewed for a similar period upon expiration of the initial term. However, such a lease must be registered with the land department. If it is not, it will only be valid for three years, regardless of the term.

Condominiums

Subject to certain conditions, foreign nationals are entitled to own individual condominium units in Thailand outright.

Thai Driving Licenses

Requirements

You must be 18 years of age to legally drive a car in Thailand and hold a license. While, for tourists, an international drivers' license will suffice, for those remaining in the Kingdom for an extended period, you would be advised to apply for a Thai license.

Application

You will require the following to make the necessary application at the licensing office (in Pattaya, it is located on Highway 36, close to the School of the Regents), which must be made in person:

What you will need the first time

1. Two recent photographs 3.0cm high x 2.5 cm wide.

2. Health certificate available from most clinics and costs around 80 to 120 baht.

3. Passport with a current NON IMMIGRANT visa for Thailand.

4. Photocopies of: (each copy signed by you)

(a) Non Immigrant Visa page in your passport. Include your "Entry to Thailand" stamp.

(b) The page of your passport that has your photo and personal details.

(c) Copy of your TM card. (the white card issued to you on entry into The Kingdom of Thailand.)

(d) Copy of your current driver's license from your country or International license.

5. A letter from Immigration certifying your home address in Thailand. This costs 200 baht and you will need to give Immigration copies of your passport pages mentioned in a, b and c above as well as two passport size photos.

Immigration is located in Soi 5 Jomtien.

You will need to:

a. Take a copy of your rental agreement (or your Chanot "deed" if you own a condo) for proof of address.

b. Take your passport and 2 recent photos as mentioned above. (3.0cm high x 2.5 cm wide)

A fee will be charged, of 105 Baht valid for one year for licenses of cars and motorcycles and of 405 Baht (motorcycle) and 655 Baht (car) for one with five year validity.

You will need to complete an application form (available only in Thai), although the staff at the licensing office will usually do it for you, meaning you only have to sign. You will also have to take a quick test for colour blindness and another for reaction (press an 'accelerator' pedal and then as quickly as possible after lights start, a 'brake' pedal). The office opens at 8.30 AM and you are advised to go early to avoid the crowds.

Tips

In order to obtain the necessary letter from Immigration, certifying your address, you will require photocopies of the relevant pages of your passport (i.e particulars page, visa page, most recent entry stamp and departure card), two photos, your home drivers' license and 200 Baht. They are also likely to want to see a photocopy of the house registration booklet for your home.

When obtaining a Doctor's certificate, explain that it is for a drivers' license. Dependent upon where you go, the usual fee will be in the region of 100 Baht.

Separate licenses are required for cars and motorcycles. The fee for motorcycles is 55 Baht.

Renewal

Upon the expiry of your drivers' license, you will again need to attend the licensing office, together with the following documents:

* Passport

* Signed photocopies of the following from your passport: particulars page, visa page, most recent entry stamp and departure card

* Old Thai drivers' license

The fees are the same as for the initial application. If you wish to get a five year license you must specify that is what you require.



TEFL Teacher Training Courses

Stay and Work in Thailand



Why choose Text-And-Talk?

- Established in 1991. Over 2,500 graduates. Testimonials & contact info available.
- 120-hour international standard course.
- Specialising in Thai learner problems.
- Seven course modules, a grammar book and all teaching materials supplied.
- Teaching English to Young Learners (TEYL) module included.
- Ongoing visa advice and assistance.
- Trainers with real-world teaching experience.
- No obligation sit in on a class and see for yourself!

To find out more, contact Corey on: 038 723 101 or 086 610 5406 corey@langserv.com www.teflteachthai.com



Language & Computer School

The Britannia Language School

Located on 382/16-17, 2nd Road (opp. Bangkok Bank), Pattaya City, Chonburi 20150

Tel: 038-361948-9 or 086-7334972

E-mail:robertghagan@hotmail.com www.britanniathailand.com

At the Britannia School we are specialize in teaching Business English.

Our Business English courses involve training students to do a better job by using English at work in various business situations, and teaching English in way that makes it relevant to the students specific business situation and skills. So, contact us, and enhance the efficiency and the profitability of your business, by improving your employees use of English.

Learn Thai Now!

And legally stay in Thailand for 1 year supported by the issue of a 1 year Education Visa Arranged by The Immigration Department.
Call Khun Kittapong or stop by for more details.

LC International Languages and Computer School Located on Soi 6/1 Opposite Bangkok Bank

> Tel: 038-361948-9, 081-7813387 www.lcpattaya.com



Teaching Experience NOT Required!
Professional 120 Hour TEFL Course
Certificate Accepted Worldwide
Learn Teaching Techniques
Includes Thai Culture Course*

A full range of language & computer courses

Learn Thai English German & more!

Plus!

Plus! MS Office & software

Intro to I.T. & more!

Education Visas Available For All Courses!

Study any subject for 120 hours or more to qualify for a long term Education Visa

Application supported by PLC School No cross-border visa runs!

Come and see us for more information!

www.plcpattaya.com



more! email: info@plcpattaya.com PLC Call: 038 360 114 TODAY!

Pattaya School Of Languages & Computers (P.L.C.)

194/10-11 M.9 Pattaya Klang,

Nongprue, Banglamung

Tel: 0-3842-1819, Fax: 0-3836-0175

E-mail: kmt@ptty.loxinfo.co.th Website: www.plcpattaya.com

Pattaya School of Languages and Computers is licensed by the Ministry Of Education. We teach any language or computer course, plus Thai for foreigners. Learn how to read speak and write with experienced teachers. Improve your future earnings and career prospects by taking foreign language and computer courses.

PROGRESS LANGUAGE (School of Thai-English-Russian)

(Licensed & Certified by the Thai Ministry of Education) 209/87 North Pattaya Road (Soi almost opposite bus station to Bangkok) (Next to Lukdod shop)

Tel. 086-148-2966, 081-577-2967, 038-370-263

E-mail: progresslanguage@hotmail.com Website: www.progresslanguage.com

Purchase our Language Course in Thai, English or Russian and receive your Free ED Visa-Unlimited Stay in Thailand. We will meet or beat the best price you find. No more Mini-Van Trips! Avoid a RED-STAMP for back-to-back Tourist Visas! Simply deposit 7,500 THB and pay only 2,000 per month. We guarantee the Lowest Price in Thailand! Our budget payment plan helps you out during these hard times! 15 months on 1st Visa & 12 months thereafter: Great Courses-Great Curriculum-Large Air-Conditioned Rooms

OUR COURSES: Thai (Beginner to Advanced)-English (General and Business Conversation)-Russian (Beginner to Advanced)-German (Start Deutsch 1-A1 Test for Thais)-French and Italian. We take Education Seriously!

Text-And-Talk Academy

20/158 Soi Tukcom about 100m. behind Tukcom off South Pattaya Road. Tel: 038-723-101, Mobile 086-610-5406 www.teflteachthai.com

Text-And-Talk is Thailand's leading TEFL training program. Our academy was founded in 1991 and has locations in Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Pattaya, and Phuket.

We offer Pattaya's only accredited* 6-week TEFL course. Our program includes 120 hours of in-class instruction with a qualified, experienced professional instructor and a minimum of 6 hours of observed teaching practice. Many employers require 120 hours of in-class instruction. VCDs and practice teaching won't land you these lucrative jobs.

We can help you with visas, housing, and assist you in finding well-paid work after graduation!

We accept cash or credit card.

* UK University accredited and certified by the Thai Ministry of Education.

Restaurants

The Captain's Corner

Tel: 0-3836-4314

Grand Texan Style Bar-B-Cue "Eat All You Can" Steaks, Seafood every evening from 18:00 in the garden with soft live music, or at the beautiful pool terrace for only 395Baht + tax. Captain's Corner is located next to the Residence Garden and Mr. Mac's Hotel. Call 038 364314 for free air-conditioned-pick up service within Pattaya Jomtien area.

Eagle Café & Restaurant International Restaurant & Italian Coffee Shop

Freshly Ground Coffee, Breakfast, Sandwiches & International Dishes Located at the ground floor of Chaiyapoon Inn Hotel 383/78 Soi Chaiyapoon, Third Rd. No. 25, Central Pattaya,

(50m left after X-Zite Discotheque) Tel: 038-415-847

Website: www.soichaiyapoon.com

For breakfast we provide a wide range of dishes:

Continental Breakfast: Croissant, 2 Toasts, Butter, Jam & Marmalade, Orange Juice, freshly ground Coffee or Tetley Tea sells for only 59 Baht, Full English Breakfast 139 Baht, Tex-Mex Breakfast serving a small filet steak, home fried potatoes, onion rings, 2 fried eggs fills you up for 169 Baht only.

At Eagle Café & Restaurant we are serving delicious International & Thai food. Our European-trained chefs provide a large range of delicious dishes: Spaghetti Seafood in White Wine Sauce 149 Baht, Beef Stroganoff 229 Baht, Bangers & Mash 179 Baht, Goulash with Noodles 149 Baht and Schnitzel with Mushroom Sauce 139 baht, only to list some examples. Our aged to perfection steaks start at only 239 Baht and are among the best in town. Only chilled - never frozen!

Open: 9AM till 10PM

Edelweiss Fondue House & Restaurant

At the new location on Tappraya Road Soi 13 (this is the main road from South Pattaya to Jontien)

For Taxi: ถ.ทัพพระยา ซอย 13 ถนนหลักจากพัทยาใต้ไปจอมเทียน

Mobile: 081-844-6037 or 086-141-9561

Email: roberttr@yahoo.com

Homepage: http://www.edelweissth.

This small, nice and friendly restaurant is the kind of place where everyone can feel welcome.

The restaurant has typical Swiss, International and Thai Food.

All kind of Fondues, Cheese Fondue, Fondue Bourguignonne, Fondue Chinoise and Raclette.

With all main dishes we offer Soup and Salad Bar free of charge. Very popular with locals and tourists.

Open: 15:00 hrs. to 24:00 hrs. Closed on Mondays.

Mata Hari Restaurant

Coming from Central Pattaya, proceed along Third Road in the direction of Jomtien then at the overpass, keep left (do not go on the overpass), and turn left at the junction with Thappraya Road, is located 1.4 Kilometers on the left in Nirvana Place.

Tel: 038-259-799 or 081-762-2359

Website: www.mataharirestaurant.com

As Editor of this magazine, I have heard more compliments on the food quality, value for money and service than any other restaurant in Pattaya. Originally located on Second Road, the much larger restaurant has a new look that is colonial, reflecting the background of the well known and respected owner. Specialties: Prawn with chili/tomato salsa, Terrine de foie gras, Rock Lobster tails in vermouth cream sauce and snow peas, Marinated Lamb Cutlets in bell pepper dressing. A must for anyone wanting a great Pattaya dining experience.

For Taxi: ร้านอาหาร มาตาฮารี อยู่ในเนอร์วานา เพลส ไปทางจอมเทียน, ชอย 15 ก่อนถึงสีแยก

Mr. 99 Steak and Seafood Restaurant

Located on Beach Road on the corner of Soi 7 Tel: 038-361-907, 086-318-4883

Seaside dining could never be more fun. A complete European Menu written in Russian, German, English and Thai and you'll wonder how they can even manage to operate with the prices being as low as they are. Catch your own shrimp if you want and they'll cook them for you. The biggest charcoal grilled Cowboy Steaks and King Lobster in town, guaranteed! Fabulous easy to read photo menu of over 160 food items. Not hungry, no problem. Sit and watch our Philippino Band at Pattaya's one and only Vodka Bar. Truly a great dining experience!

Seven Guidelines For A Healthy Diet





- Maintain ideal weight
- Avoid too much of fat and cholesterol
- Avoid too much of sugar
- Eat foods with enough starch and fibre
- Avoid too much of sodium
- Drink alcohol in moderation

On The Lighter Side

If You Yelled for 8 Years

If you yelled for 8 years, 7 months and 6 days you would have produced enough sound energy to heat one cup of coffee. (Hardly seems worth it.)

If you farted consistently for 6 years and 9 months, enough gas is produced to create the energy of an atomic bomb. (Now that's more like it!)

The human heart creates enough pressure when it pumps out to the body to squirt blood 30 feet. (O.M.G.!)

A pig's orgasm lasts 30 minutes. (In my next life, I want to be a pig.)!

A cockroach will live nine days without its head before it starves to death.. (Creepy.) (I'm still not over the pig.)

Banging your head against a wall uses 150 calories an hour (Don't try this at home, maybe at work)

The male praying mantis cannot copulate while its head is attached to its body. The female initiates sex by ripping the male's head off. (Honey, I'm home. What the.....?!)

The flea can jump 350 times its body length. It's like a human jumping the length of a football field. (30 minutes... Lucky pig! Can you imagine?)

The catfish has over 27,000 taste buds. (What could be so tasty on the bottom of a pond?)

Some lions mate over 50 times a day. (I still want to be a pig in my next life...quality over quantity)

Butterflies taste with their feet. (Something I always wanted to know.)

Right-handed people live, on average, nine years longer than left-handed people. (If you're ambidextrous, do you split the difference?)

Elephants are the only animals that cannot jump. (Okay, so that would be a good thing)

A cat's urine glows under a black light. (I wonder who was paid to figure that out?)

An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain. (I know some people like that.)

Starfish have no brains (I know some people like that too.)

Polar bears are left-handed. (If they switch, they'll live a lot longer)

Humans and dolphins are the only species that have sex for pleasure. (What about that pig??)

Now that you've smiled at least once, it's your turn to spread these crazy facts and send this to someone you want to bring a smile to, maybe even a chuckle.

Directory Of Businesses & Locations

Dr. Olivier Clinic Edelweiss Fondue House &	B 4
	D 4
Restaurant	B 5
Captain's Corner	B 4
Rim Talay	C 2
Aesthica	C 3
Bungy Jump	B 5
PLC Language School	C 3
Languagecorps	B
Rosie O'Gradys	C 3
Lighthouse	C:
Dive South East Asia	C :
Le Pétrus	B
Pipo's Restaurant	C
JOMTIEN	
Hongsa Kitchen	C
Linda's Restaurant	B :
Mermaids Dive Center	В
L'Olivier	В
Hot Stone Grill	В
The Bristol Music Bar	В
Highlander Bar&Guesthouse	В:
Land Office Department	B
Pattaya Provincial Court	В
Revenue Office	В
Amari Hotel	C
Bangkok Pattaya Hospital	D
Bus Station to Bangkok	D
City Hall	C
Foodland	C
Highway Police Station	C
Immigration	С
Lotus	C
Pattaya International Hospita	ID
	Highway Police Station Immigration Lotus Pattaya International Hospita

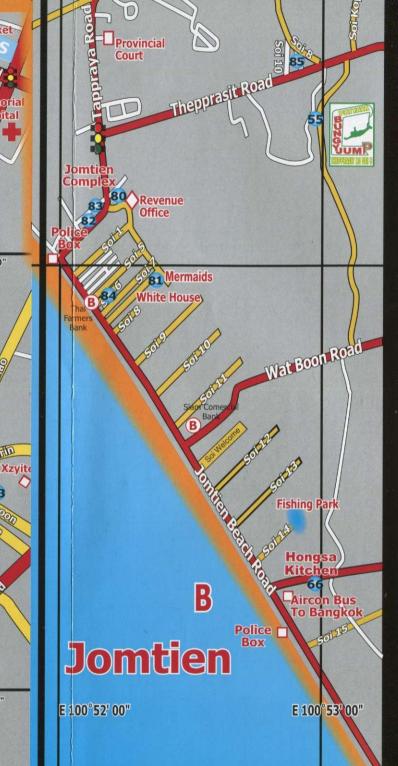


he idea of having a tattoo had appealed to me long before I ever came to Thailand. In fact, I doubt I had even heard of the country when, like most schoolboys my age, I used to cover my arms with sticky water transfers that were sold in a packet with a couple of pieces of bubble gum.

My friends and I would look like a bunch of tiny Popeye impersonators with our sleeves rolled up and our young forearms alive with rapidly fading colour.

Having progressed into my teens, I was all set to take the traditional next step and put a home made, permanent mark on the back of my hand using a needle and a small jar of Indian ink. Fortunately for me, however, my best friend and partner in crime went first, which gave me the opportunity to reconsider once I had seen that the finished article, which simply spelt the name of his girlfriend, didn't look anywhere near as good as we had intended. My own girlfriend was not very happy that I didn't think enough of her to follow suit, but it was a small price to pay for avoiding the kind of ugly scrawl my friend was stuck with.





arket

oad

emorial

ospital

00"

olfelita

Road

30"





Tel: 038-711-325















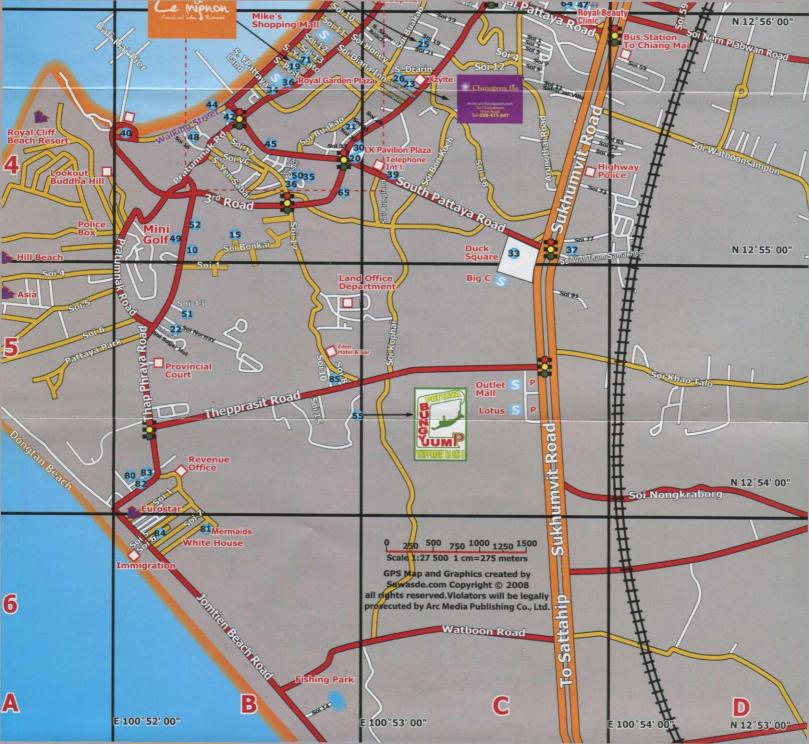


Tel: 0-3823-2219/20, M: 087-035-9334 www.mermaiddive.com



Hard Rock Cafe





fter reaching the age of majority and over the following few years, I went so far as to visit the shops of several tattoo artists back in the UK, but I could never quite decide upon a design. After all, it was for life. And, as my Mum and Dad had always pointed out whenever the subject of tattoos had arisen, our tastes tend to change over the years.

They invariably used the example of my uncle, who had found God and given up being a magician to become a Vicar, a Priest in the Church of England. Time and again, they told us how he regretted the various large and colourful designs on each of his arms. I don't think they ever realized that when I had asked him about it, he hadn't actually seemed to regret having had them done quite as much as my parents suggested.



go ahead to get a tattoo. But I am certain that it was no coincidence that it was here in the Land of Smiles that I finally climbed into the artist's chair. It could have been the sunshine and the laid back, carefree atmosphere that tends to infect you while you are in this most relaxed of environments. Maybe it was the prevalence of tattoos on both locals and tourists here, providing the positive reinforcement I needed to overcome the memories of negativity from my parents. However, I rather fancy it was because I was allowed to drink beer while the artist worked.

bit of Dutch courage goes a long way in such circumstances. That said, it wasn't a drunken decision, which would have been a terrible idea. I had definitively resolved to go ahead and finally settled upon a design while I was still sober. I simply drank to deal with the last minute doubts that I suspected would otherwise surface.

Tattoos have actually long played an important role in Thai society. Historically, as with the New Zealand Maoris and other South Sea Islanders, tattoos have had a strong tribal significance here

and throughout much of South East Asia. For example, in the 19th century, so called "tattoo trousers" were used to signify membership of certain Thai tribes. No doubt as painful as they sound, the intricate, yet extensive markings covered large swathes of male tribe members' legs. However, the history of tattoos goes back a great deal further than a couple of hundred years. Tools that have been estimated to date back approximately forty thousand years, and which are believed to have been used for early tattooing, have been found on archeological digs. Historians believe that these early tattoos were essentially deliberately created scars. Subsequently, soot was introduced into the wounds to create colour. That said, it goes without saying that dating the history and defining the nature of early tattoos usually



involves little more than educated guesswork and sometimes the interpretation of archaic writings. The simple reason is that the best evidence, the human skin upon which they were etched, was rarely preserved for any great length of time after death. However, there have been exceptions to this "rule", such as a few years ago when the body of a man who had been dead nearly 5,500 years was found frozen and thus well preserved in the Swiss Alps. Sure enough, his flesh was found to contain a basic form of tattooed markings.

t is generally considered that tattooing in this part of the World has a similarly long history.

References can be found in ancient Khmer texts suggesting that tattooing was common in their society as early as the 1st century AD, while some time later King Rama I is known to have utilized a form of tattooing to identify freemen. However, the permanent marking of the body was not only used to identify allies and friends. Tattoos have long been associated with Hinduism and in particular Brahminism, as well as Buddhism

and Tai Animism.

ver the years, these various religious beliefs have become intertwined or, perhaps more accurately, rather confused in providing a spiritual basis and mystical importance for certain tattoos. For this reason, this form of tattooing has traditionally been carried out by monks, a practice that continues today, most notably at Wat Bang Phra close to Bangkok where a famous tattooing festival takes place each year.

The monks tattoo designs that are believed by those wearing them to have magical qualities. The ink used is said to contain a mix of snake venom, herbs and cigarette ash and is believed to help in the spiritual process, although quite what the fag ash is supposed to contribute I am not entirely certain. The tattoos themselves range from Khmer text, Buddhist prayers and Chedis to mythical creatures, such as Hanuman the Hindu Monkey God and Ganesh,





his elephant equivalent, and to somewhat more mundane animal images such as tigers, birds and snakes.

ach tattoo is said to have particular spiritual qualities. Some protect the wearer from harm, indeed they are said to stop bullets, while others are believed to make the recipient a feared warrior.

Perhaps unsurprisingly, these supposed properties

make the tattoos extremely popular with criminals and gang members. But not all of the designs are related to conflict. Some promise far more pleasant benefits, like prosperity or even adulation. It is not all good news for the recipients though, for the spiritual properties of the tattoos are all for nothing unless the wearer continues to display the necessary devotion to them, which in simple terms essentially means abiding by the basic precepts of Buddhism and praying to both the tattoos and the monk tattooists. Moreover, the powers of the tattoos wear off over time and so must be refreshed by repeated blessings by the monks.

can only guess that this is where it all tends to fall down a bit; hence the lack of verifiable reports of bullets having being stopped by well placed body art. The manufacturers of Kevlar body armour should therefore feel free to relax a little. Those who are given the tattoos also have to suffer a brief onset of apparent post tattooing madness, which causes them to rush around the temple's grounds like crazy men. seemingly in a trance like state and under the contro I of "tattoo spirits", until they are hauled down by waiting custodians. This part of the ritual, which has strong connections to ancient animist beliefs, is particularly popular with the crowds that attend the event each year. I am not sure if the "tattoo spirits" possessing these individuals have names, but if they



do I would hazard a guess that they are something like "Mehkong" or perhaps "Johnnie Walker". Here in Pattaya, there are over seventy tattoo studios and therefore plenty of options for anyone looking to get one. However, the Soi Watan tattoo studio (tel. 089 809 9317) offers something slightly different. The studio can be found just off Soi Watan, which is located directly across Sukhumvit Road from South Pattaya Road, and what makes it different is that the tattooists use traditional Thai techniques. Call them for directions.

attooist Gabriel, well known in Pattaya learnt his rade during eight years spent in a Wat in Chon Buri. he method he uses is the same as the monks at Wat Bang Phra and doesn't involve the buzzing, electrical tattooing machine that will be familiar to most people who have had a tattoo, but rather a thin metal rod with a small piece of bamboo inserted into the end, which in turn houses the tattooing needles. The tool is balanced on his fingers in a manner similar to how a snooker cue is rested when one plays a shot. His subject's body takes the place of the snooker table while he jabs the skin to make the design.

n advocate of this traditional method of tattooing will tell you that it ensures more intricacy in the design.

The reason for this is that the tool can house less than the minimum number of needles needed for a machine. Moreover, the skill level of someone like Gabriel is really quite amazing.

He doesn't need any of the water transfers that so many tattooists like to follow. Everything is free hand and the level of detail is fantastic. Another advantage is that it is probably easier for you, as the customer, to ensure that new needles, and thus clean ones, are used. In the case of the Soi Watan studio, they believe that their approach to tattooing is far less commercial than most studios in Pattaya.

They do it for the love of tattooing and of art, a fact that is borne out by their relaxed approach to pricing. Most important to them is a customer's satisfaction. However, to give a rough guide, for a design covering your shoulder, you would be looking at around 3-4,000 Baht. Several theories have been advanced as to why we, as a race, seem fascinated by tattoos. After all, they are painful and therefore unpleasant to have done.

Indeed, the origins of the very word tattoo, the Tahitian word "tatau", implies as much. So why should we willingly submit to a less than pleasurable experience. Some anthropological experts believe that the pain is in fact the very essence of the attraction. They suggest that the willingness to put up with severe discomfort, and actually display indifference towards it, is part of one's spiritual development, providing evidence of growth.

Personally, and for what it is worth, I am not altogether sure about that. I think I can honestly say that proving my ability to take a bit of pain had little, if anything, to do with my desire to get a tattoo. It was a downside rather than an attraction. If that had been my motivation, I think I would first have worked a little on my ability to have an injection without passing out. Speaking for myself, I think a well drawn tattoo of a good design looks great and I wanted to improve my appearance. It was as simple as that. Whatever your reason, the number and variety of studios here make Pattaya a great place to get a tattoo.

However, before committing, make sure you have a good look at the individual's work in their photo albums or on their other customers and don't rush to choose a design. Make sure it is something that is likely to stand the test of time. Maybe even sit around and watch the artist do a couple to ensure that what you have seen is an accurate indicator of their ability. And, if you want my advice, be slow to get the name of your significant other included in any design. If their status changes in the future, to have the tattoo removed or altered is a real pain. You only need ask my old school friend.

Sports/Outdoor Activities

DIVE SOUTH EAST ASIA

Located on Pattaya Beach at the corner of Beach & Central Roads
Tel. 038-362-300 Mobile 086-820-8873
Email info@dive-sea.com Web www.dive-sea.com

SNORKELLING - SCUBA DIVING - FISHING
Day trips to Turtle Island & Fantasy Reef!
Learn to dive in one day! With PADI Discover Scuba Diving
PADI courses - Open Water - Advanced - Rescue - Divemaster
Speciality Training - Deep Diver - Nitrox - Wreck Diver
English - Deutsch - Française

Ask about our special 2 day PADI Open Water Diver program
All trips & PADI courses include pick up from your hotel
lunch fresh fruit water soft drinks tea & coffee

MERMAIDS DIVE CENTER

PADI 5* CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Hanuman Statue and Soi White House in Jomtien
Siam Bayview Hotel on Beach Road, Pattaya
The Windmill Hotel in Naklua
Tel: 038-303-333 Mobile: 086-143-5547
dive@mermaiddive.com www.mermaidsdivecenter.com

BOAT TRIPS, SNORKELING, WRECK DIVING, PADI SPECIALTY AND PROFESSIONAL COURSES

Mermaids Dive Center opened in Jomtien in 1990 and is one of South East Asia's most established **PADI** CDC centers. Mermaids own and operate 4 boats on a daily basis, the only dive center to give our customers the unique opportunity to choose the sites where to snorkel or dive.

DISCOVER SCUBA DIVING on the Far Islands in 1 day. Learn from an experienced PADI Instructor the thrill of diving underwater and discover the experience of a lifetime.

If you want to get certified in scuba diving, take the **PADI OPEN WATER** course over 3 or 4 days. We are able to teach in German, Thai, Japanese, English and many other languages.

Mermaids offer **WRECK** diving every day on the WW2 wreck "Hardeep" down at Samae San and regular trips out to the HTMS KHRAM and HTMS KOOD. Experience adventures in diving at its best.

All activities include **free** collection to and from your hotel, lunch with fresh fruit and complimentary water, tea and coffee on the boat. All equipment needed for snorkeling or diving.

Please ask us about our monthly special promotions.

Sitpholek Muavthai Sportscenter

217/10 M.6, Sukhumvit Road

200 M north of Pattava Orphanage

Corner of Soi 34, opposite ARC Between North Pattaya Road & Pattaya Klang

Tel: 086-561-0838 English: 083-299-5366

E-mail: sitpholek frank@hotmail.com

Everything for a full body training

- · 850m Training Area, fully Air-conditioned
- · Gym & Fitness Center
- · Muaythai, Thaiboxing, International Boxing
- · Personal Trainers
- · Sports Massage
- · Free Fight
- · Opening Times 9:00 till 24:00

Everybody is welcome from starters till professionals.

Tattoo

Tattoo Studio - Soi Wattan

Located on Soi Wattan off Sukhumvit Soi 73. Between Central and South Pattava Road close to Highway Police. Tel: 089-809-9317

Tattooist Gabriel, well known in Pattaya, learnt his trade during eight years spent in a Wat in Chonburi. The method he uses is the same as the monks at Wat Bang Phra and doesn't involve the buzzing electrical tattooing machine that will be familiar to most people who have had a tattoo but rather a thin metal rod with a small piece of bamboo inserted into the end, which in turn houses the tattooing needles. Both traditional bamboo and machine are available, the difference being that although the machine method may be a bit faster, there is sometimes reddening and a slight healing process involved. With the bamboo, intricate designs can be done and seldom is there the same reddening associated with the machine method. Give them a call and they'll invite you over to their studio for a beer. You'll leave with the nicest Tattoo you could ever get and a piece of Thailand you'll remember forever.



OTHER SPORT & OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Aerobics

A free open-air aerobics class is held alongside the beach next to the junction of Beach Road and Soi Yodsak (Soi 6) daily at 6PM.

Badminton

Ambassador City Sports Center, Sukhumvit Road tel.+66-38231501 /4.

Pattaya Badminton Club, Soi 17 (near Third Road, South Pattava) tel. +66-38425397 / +66-38429532

Euro Badminton Club www.euro.ob.tc/index.html, Soi Chaiyapruk2, Jomtien (near Pattaya stadium) tel. +66-38074434 / +66-817231627 Billiards / pool / snooker

Pool

Hot Tuna Pool Club, Walking Street (opposite Tony's Entertainment Complex).

Match Room, P.S. Plaza (junction of Central Pattaya Road and Seond Road)

Megabreak Pool Lounge www.megabreakpool.com on Soi 13 (Soi Diana Inn), between Second Road and Soi Buakhao

Tim Bar Beer, on Second Road (opposite Soi 12). www.timbarbeerpattaya.com.

There are three full-size tables at the very back of the cluster of outdoor beer bars on Soi Made In Thailand (next to the Made In Thailand Night Plazar, on Second Road

Bowling

Bowling Plus (previously "Pattaya Bowl") is on Second Road, at the junction with Soi Regent Marina (North Pattaya); tel. +66-38429908 / +66-38429466

O.D. Bowl is on Pratamnak Road (South Pattaya) - open daily 08:00-01:00

P.S. Bowling www.psbowling.com/pattayabowl.html, P.S. Plaza (junction of Central Pattaya Road and Second Road, above TOPS supermarket); tel. +66-38420965 /6

Bridge

Pattaya Bridge Club, tel 0836066880, www.pattayabridge.com, meets at the Bowling Green, Soi Fuenga, Central Pattaya, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 1p.m.

Bungee jumping

Pattaya Bungy Jump, Thepprasit Road; Soi 9 tel. 038-301-209

Cycling

LA Bicycle, 2, Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38300606/953 - open 09:00-20:00 (mid-range selection)

Chaw Numchai www.ch-numchai.com, Sukhumvit Road (opposite Siam Commercial Bank) tel. +66-38222018 S.V. Bike Shop, , Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38300378

Fishing

Deep Sea Fishing excursions by Nature Service Tour (tel. +66-38427660)

North Pattaya Fishing Park (pictures geocities.com/zoomfishing/Soi3FishingPark.html) also known as "Soi 3 Fishing Park"

Flying, paragliding & skydiving

Chonburi Flying Club www.chonburiflyingclub.com (CMT www.cmtflying.thailand.com)

Eastern Flying Club www.flythailand.com/id31.htm airstrip is 5 km east of Pattaya, off Sukhumvit Road Soi 87.

Pattaya Airpark www.pattayaairpark.com airstrip is 20 km south of Pattaya, adjacent to the Phoenix Golf Club.

Thai Flying Club www.thaiflyingclub.com is based at Bang Phra Airport, just north of Si Racha, about 30 minutes drive from Pattaya.

Golfing

The Golf Club, 33/133 Soi L.K. Metro (near Soi Diana and Soi Buakhao, about 100 yards from the Areca Lodge), tel.(66) 085 434 3377, (fax:(66) 038 720 602, e-mail: pattaya4golf@gmail.com), www.golfclubpattaya.com.

The Mini Golf Pub, Thappraya Road, Buddha Hill

Driving ranges:

Diana Driving Range www.dianapattaya.co.th/ 209/112 Moo 6, North Pattaya Road tel. +66-38415212 /23.

Green Way Driving Range, Sukhumvit Road - tel. +66-38232083.

Pattaya Driving Range, Third Road - tel. +66-38370462 /3.

Pride Driving Range, Sukhumvit Road (previously "Dono" directly opposite Pattaya Central Road) tel. +66-38488349.

Tommy Driving Range, Thepprasit Road - tel. +66-38251564.

Fitness centers

Castra Praetoria Gym & Fitness. 61/17 M.10, Soi Khao Talo, East Pattaya, near Siam Royal View. info@thecastra.com, www.thecastra.com Central Pattaya Gym, Pratamnak Road (next to Central Pattaya Hotel) tel. +66-38364573 /80.

Tony's Gym - Located on Third Road and South Pattaya Roads

Horseback riding

Horseshoe Point, 100 Moo 9, Tambon Pong; tel.

+66-38735050 www.horseshoepoint.com.

Horse back riding, Highway #36 (near Bira International Circuit - about 18 km from Pattaya) www.horsepattaya.com/index. htm willinetzer@yahoo.com tel. +66-13020814

Pattaya Riding Club, , Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38255888

Hot air ballooning

Funk's Ballonfahrten www.pattayaballoon.com Jet-skiing

Motorsports

Bira International Circuit (tel. +66-22803547 / +66-25221731 /8) is about 15 km from Pattaya on the Pattaya-Rayong Road (Highway #36

A.N. ATVs & Motocross, Thepprasit Road (near Pattaya Kart Speedway); tel. +66-46778452 / +66-52227882.

K.R. Go-Kart, 62/125 Moo 12, Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38300347/9 Pattaya Kart Speedway, 248/2 Moo 12, Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38422044 www.karting-thailand.com.

Siam Karting Circuit, 387 Moo 6, Sukhumvit Road (near Mini Siam) tel. +66-38727410

Muay Thai (Thai boxing)

Pattaya Kombat Village (Muay Thai Training School), Khaotalo Soi 8, Sukhumvit Road (opposite Thepprasit Road); tel. +66-95433450 www.kombatgroup.com

Sitpholek Boxing Centre, 217/10 Sukhumvit Road (North Pattaya); tel. +66-99345001 (English) / +66-95055840 (Thai) / sitpholek_frank@hotmail.com

Tony's Gym & Muay Thai Academy, Third Road is open 2:30PM-10:30PM.

Other Activities

Paintball Park, 248/10 Moo 12, Thepprasit Road; tel. +66-38300608 open 8AM-6PM.

Pattaya Panthers Rugby club - c/o Jameson's The Irish Pub www.jamesons-pattaya.com, 80/146 Moo 9 Soi Sukrudee (Soi A.R.) tel. +66-38415304 /8

Pattaya Marathon (every year in June or July)

websites:www.pattaya-marathon.com & www.thailandmara-thon.org/pattayamarathon.html.

Sailing

Blue Wave Watersports Asia (based at Ocean Marina Yacht Club) tel. +66-816229372 www.bluewavewatersports.com Day sailing trips and boat charters.

Gulf Charters Thailand tel. +66-38237752 fax. +66-38237751 www.gulfchartersthailand.com manages a fleet of ten 32 foot to 70 foot catamaran and keelboat sailing yachts based at Ocean Marina (near Pattaya) and at Ko Chang.

Ocean Marina Yacht Club, , Sukhumvit Road (Sattahip); tel. +66-237310/23 fax. +66-38237325 www.oceanmarinayachtclub.com Royal Varuna Yacht Club, Pratamnak Road;

tel. +66-38250116 / +66-38306290 fax. +66-38250115 www.royal-varuna-yacht-club.com

YachtPro Sailing School tel. +66-816229372

Quiz Nights

Sportsman Inn, soi 13, has a very popular quiz night every Thursday at 9PM.

The Bowling Green, soi X-Zyte, just off soi Buakhao, has a quiz night every Tuesday at 9PM.

Scuba diving

Adventure Divers and Watersports (Adventure Scuba) www.pattayadivers.com tel. +66-38710899 (Soi Yamato (Soi 13/1)) / +66-38364453 (Tappraya Road)

Aquanauts www.aquanautsdive.com tel. +66-38361724 (Soi Yodsak (Soi 6)) / tel. +66-38710727 (Soi Pattayaland 1 (Soi 13/3))

Dive South East Asia www.dive-sea.com tel. +66-38362300 (Nova Lodge Hotel, Central Road)

Mask and Finns www.maskandfinns.com tel. +66-890710941 (Soi 4, Jomtien Beach Road)

Mermaids Scuba Diving Centre www.mermaiddive.com tel. +66-38232219 / 220 (Jomtien Beach Road)

Neptune Dive Centre www.diveneptune.com tel. +66-038-371141 (North Pattaya Road)

Paradise Scuba Divers www.tauchenthailand.de

tel+fax. +66-38710567 (Soi 10) / tel+fax. +66-38303333 (Jomtien)
P J Scuba www.pjscuba.com tel. +66-18644490 (Jomtien Beach Road)
Scuba Tek Dive Center rickr@loxinfo.co.th tel. +66-38361616
(Second Road)

Seaduction Dive Center andycrosby@hotmail.com tel. +66-60765668 (Bali Hai Pier)

Seafari Dive Center www.seafari.co.th tel. +66-38429060 (Soi 5)

Shooting

Pattaya Shooting Club and Fishing Park, Soi Wat Huay-Yai, Sukhumvit Road (10 minutes from town centre) tel. +66-38255488.

Tiffany's Shooting Range, Second Road (Tiffany's Show building ground floor) tel. +66-38421700 /5 fax. +66-38421711

Swimming

Honey Inn , Mike Shopping Mall Thai Garden Resort,

Tennis

Pattaya Tennis Association, www.tennispattaya.com.

Tour and Travel Accommodation

PNS Tour Tel: 081-450 2593

Waterskiing & Wakeboarding

Air-Time Watersports Camp, Dok Krai Lakeside Resort, Dok Krai Reservoir (Rayong); tel. +66-18616736 www.air-time.net Club Taco Water Cable Ski (kilometre 14, Bang Na Road)
Lakeland Water Cable Ski (Highway #3 - tel. +66-38232690 /2) about 5 km from Pattaya

Windsurfing & Kiteboarding

Club Loong Chat Watersport Club www.clubloongchat. com (on the beach by the Pinnacle Hotel)

Pattaya Air Park (พัทยา แอร์ พาร์ค) is located at Ban Amphoe, Bang Lamung District, information, Tel. 08 6374 1718.

Chon Buri Flying Club (ชลบุรี ฟราชอิ้ง คลับ) is in Bang Phra District. information, Tel. 0 3829 8202, 08 1377 8447. CMT Flying Club Tel. 0 3827 3250-7 for more information.

Horse Club

Jo Jo Horse Club www.jojo@chonburi.ksc.co.th Marina Inn, Na Kluea Soi 12 Road.. Tel. 0 3822 5149.

Horseshoe Point Club - Soi Siam Country Road For more information, Tel. 0 3825 3500

Go Cart

Pattaya Cart Speedway is at 248/2 Mu 2, Thepprasit Road For more information, Tel. 038-422-044.

Bira International Circuit Highway No. 36, 15km from the centre of Pattaya. For more information, Tel. 0 2280 3547, 0 2522 1731-8, 0 2971 6450.

KR Go-cart Grand Prix is on Thep Prasit Road, prior to Jomtien Beach, For more information, Tel. 0 3830 0347-9.

Fairtex Sport Club and Hotel - North Pattaya Road. Contact-Tel. 0 3848 8196, 0 3848 8657 or www.fairtexpattaya.com.

Massage

Dream Teen Massage

Soi 21 between Soi Bua Khao and 3rd Road Tel: 038-411-105

Visit our Web site www.dream-teen-pattaya.com

Opened January 1st, Dream Teen offers a new concept in sensual and exotic massage.

All girls are young, attractive and specially trained to give you personalized massage which is relaxing and sensually stimulating.

You get to choose the girl of your dreams from an album in the comfort of our reception area or from the Internet. If you so desire, one of our hostesses can visit you in the privacy of your hotel room.

All services are provided in private air-conditioned rooms equipped with showers.

Dream Teen Massage Sensual exotic massage by young attractive girls - Incall or Outcall Private air-conditioned rooms with showers Attractive & comfortable lounge area Dream Teen Massage See internet for photo gallery and more info at www.dream-teen-pattaya.com

or call 038-411-105

Music Venues

Hard Rock Cafe

Located on off of Second Road or off of Beach Road After Central Road going North and before Central going South from North Pattaya. Tel: 038-426-635

Located on Soi 21 between Soi Bua Khao and 3rd Road

The best live music & entertainment from "Prime Pitch" the Pilipino house's band. Everynight Mon – Thu 9.00 p.m. onwards and Fri – Sat 9.30 p.m. onwards.

Come and enjoy the authentic American food & bring your friends for a great time. The best burger & best ribs in Pattaya

Cooking School

Happy Home Thai Cooking School

81/65 Pattaya Klang, Soi 14 (Thidawan), Nongplue, Banglamung (Just North of Central Pattaya Rd. and Soi Buakhao) Tel: 084-417-5258

Webpage: www.HappyHome-ThaiCookingSchool.com Email: info@HappyHome-ThaiCookingSchool.com

The Happy Home Thai Cooking School offers private and group Thai cooking lessons in a convenient and quiet residential area in Central Pattaya. All classes are taught in English and involve hands-on preparation and cooking.

Each of the five basic classes begins with a trip to the market and includes the teaching of four separate dishes. AM (9am – Noon) or PM (1pm – 4pm) classes are offered Wed through Sun. The price for one basic class is 1000 Baht (discounts for multiple classes).

Regional intermediate classes (Lanna and Issan) are available on Mon and Tue in the AM or PM for 1500 Baht/class (5 dishes).

The prices include all ingredients, instruction, food you cook, and recipe booklet. For detailed information see our website or call directly. Come learn the joy and beauty of Thai cooking with us.

Open 7 days/week with AM or PM classes!

Accommodation

Chaiyapoon Inn Hotel & Restaurant

383/78 Soi Chaiyapoon, Third Rd. No. 25, Central Pattaya, (50m left after X-Zite Discotheque) Tel: 038-415-847

www.soichaiyapoon.com

The newly built Chaiyapoon Inn is a beautiful addition to Pattaya City. Our attractive guest rooms are a tasteful blend of Thai Teakwood Art & modern living. All our rooms have quiet DAIKIN air conditioners, 29" cable TV, DVD, Safe, free Wi-Fi Broadband Internet, granite bathrooms. Our 4 Star Rooms start at only 450 Baht in the low season from May to October. We are open 24 hours and our friendly staff will ensure a pleasant and memorable stay.

Our Eagle Café & Restaurant is serving delicious International & Thai food. Our European-trained chefs provide a large range of delicious dishes: Spaghetti Seafood in White Wine Sauce 149 Baht, Beef Stroganoff 229 Baht, Bangers & Mash 179 Baht, Goulash with Noodles 149 Baht and Schnitzel with Mushroom Sauce 139 Baht, only to list some examples. Our aged to perfection steaks start at only 239 Baht and are among the best in town. Only chilled - never frozen!

Clinics

AESTHICA - Weight Loss, Rejuvenation & Laser Center

Located on Pattaya 2nd Rd, opposite Bangkok Bank, Next to Soi 6/1 Tel: 038-362-400, 081-926-2547, 089-831-4009

Open daily 10 am. to 8 pm.

Website: www.aesthica.com

In Pattava, there are a lot of Beauty Centers where Facial & Body Treatment services are offered but not supervised by a licensed Cosmetic Doctor. Aesthica is unique, supervised by Dr. Jirawat, he provides three basic services; Weight Loss, Rejuvenation & Laser

Aesthica has 11 treatment rooms equipped with the latest technology on Facial and Body therapy.

For losing Belly fat and sculpting your body, Laser-Fat Reduction is the most advanced Non - Surgical treatment in the country.

Aesthica also offers Botox Injection, Filler and Mesotherapy to eliminate your wrinkles and enhance your Facial appearance. Just give them a call or visit the doctor and his friendly nurses will give you a free consultation and suggest the best treatment for you.

Dr. Olivier Clinic

English • Deutsch • Français • Thai



Medical Doctor from Geneva. Switzerland, Dr. Olivier Meyer welcomes you for:

Sukhumvit Rd.

Walking Street

- General medicine
- Travel / tropical medicine

Second Rd.

- · Check-up / laboratory
- Anti-Aging Medicine

Hotel & home visits can also be scheduled

Open: Mon. to Fri.: 9 am to 4 pm

9 am to 1 pm

038-723-600 Tel.: 038-723-590

After hours: 086-827-6922 Fax: 038-723-590

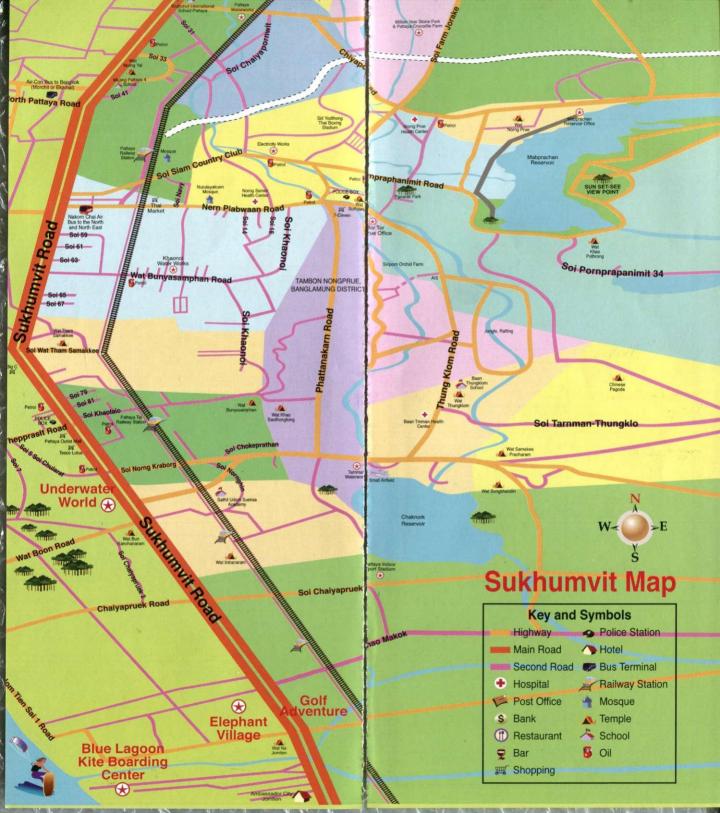
info@dr-olivier-clinic.com www.dr-olivier-clinic.com

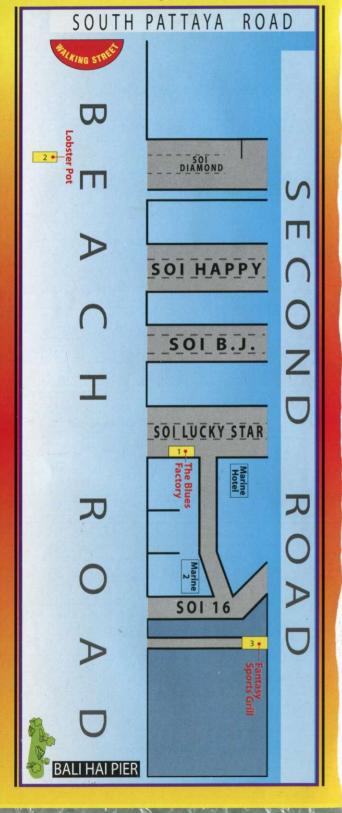
20/29 Moo 10, Soi Hotel Day-Night,

Pattaya 20150

For taxi: แพทย์โอลิวิแอร์คลีนิก ซอยโรงแรมเตย์-ไนท์ ถนนพัทยาใต้







Pattaya Royal Beauty Clinic



now everyone can experience a younger look

- BREAST AUGMENTATION
- FACE LIFT / NOSE REDUCTION
- LIPOSUCTION
- ► All surgery done by Dr. Vajarakorn Tongsuk. Member of the Board of General Surgeons and Board of Plastic & Recon. Surgery.
- ► Free consulting at the office
- ► Operations done in a private hospital
- ► Full English speaking service





Soi Town in Town past Foodland in Central Pattaya

Tel: 038-410062 Mobile: 081-3449919 Email: dr.tongsuk@prbclinic.com www.prbclinic.com

Pattava Royal Beauty Clinic

Located in the first Soi past Foodland off of Central Pattaya Road in Soi Town in Town

Tel: 038-410-062 or 081-344-9919

E-mail: dr.tongsuk@pattayaroyalbeautyclinic.com

Whether you are a man or a woman, anyone over 40 years of age can use a little bit of cosmetic help. Thailand has always been a leading player in the field of cosmetic surgery. Dr. Tongsuk besides being a Member on the Board of General Surgery as well as the Board of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery has been helping people in Pattaya for over 20 years. Formerly known as The Pakorn Clinic Dr. Tongsuk is well re-known for his ability to convert minor and major cosmetic challenges into cosmetic successes. He is an ex-consultant at PIC and Bangkok Pattaya Hospital. Whether you are looking to erase some of the basic signs of aging through a basic face lift or wanting to lose excessive weight that will never come off by utilizing the newest methods of Liposuction or maybe you're looking for breast augmentation we can help. Nose reduction is also available. Just give us a call or stop on by and we will give you a no cost no obligation to buy consultation any time. Pick up and delivery service is provided free of charge for all services done at best private hospital. We invite you to come for free consultation in our office at Soi Town in Town and all surgeries are done at a private hospital.





Plastic Surgery

One Day Hair Transplant Procedures ■Safe ■ Permanent ■ Affordable

- Rhinoplasty, Chin Augment
- Double evelid surgery, Blepharoplasty, Cheek Dimple
- Breast Enlargement, Breast Reduction, Breast Uplift, Nipple Refinement
- Tummy tuck, Liposuction, Sex Reassignment Surgery: SRS. M to F
- Face lift, Wrinkle correction by injectable implant surgery
- Scar revision, Otoplasty, Adam's apple reassignment surgery
- Lip surgery, Jaw correction surgery
- Hair Transplant etc.

Call for appointment 081-9331010 (English & Thai), 089-9990123 (Japanese), Office: 02-6908000 Fax: 02-2775907

422-426/1 Indramara Soi 20, Suthisam Road, Dindang District Bangkok 10400 Thailand

www.bangkokplasticsurgery.com E-mail: pichet@bangkokplasticsurgery.com

For Taxi: แบงท์คอกศัลยกรรมตกแต่ง 422-426/1 ปากซอยอินทามระ 20 ถนนสุทธิสาร คินแดง กาม. 10400

Car Rental



RENT-A-CARCO., LTD.

3/114 Moo 6, Pattaya 3rd Rd., Naklua, Banglamung, Chonburi 20150

Tel/Fax: 038-371-482, 038-371-484

(7 days a week 09.00-17.30)

Mobile: 081-994-8420, 086-097-9590 Hotline 24 Hrs.

Email: dvcarrentalpattaya@hotmail.com Website: www.pattayacarrent-dv.com

Best Deals on Wheels

- · First class car rental insurance
- Personal accident coverage / Medical expenses
- Unlimited kilometers
- · Free delivery and pick up / return service
- All brand new vehicles with air conditioning & CD/MP3 player
- 24 hours emergency contact
- · All contracts in English
- · Child seats available



Advertise for free, e-mail to rossetti@ptty2.loxinfo.co.th

Amazing Condo in Jomtien for sale

42 square meters, 9th floor, panoramic sea view, huge balcony & deck on 2 sides, large swimming pool, convenience store, fully furnished, a/c, European kitchen, electric stove, sink, bed, storage, closet, sofa, fridge, microwave, TV/DVD, 24H Security, parking lot.Foreign name.500,000 baht spent on lovely renovation. Live in style! 1.59 Million Baht or best offer.Call: 085-347-9257 E-mail: eternalterritory@yahoo.com for pictures.

Bengal Cats Available now - Beautiful Spotted Leopard 2 Mo. Babies, Four left. 26,000 Baht. Firm. Call (081) 801-3724

Investor (s) / Big Thinkers Wanted - for land and construction of an entertainment venue unlike anything presently available in Thailand. This is NOT go-go related and supports the community in a major way. Business plan and model available for serious candidates. Conservative 23 - month return on investment. Let's talk. Call or e-mail. 081-801-3724. rossetti@ptty2.loxinfo.co.th

Counseling Center Pattaya opened Help with all forms of addiction, depression, relationship issues, sex problems, eating disorders, anxiety, compulsive disorders etc. - visit our website at http://www.counseling-office.com for more information and tips related to counseling, psychotherapy, hypnotherapy and relationship counseling. German and English spoken. By Appointment Only: 085-437-0470

A large double unit (which can be split) on busy Pattaya New Plaza. Currently operating as a successful clothes shop. Abundant foot traffic ensuring excellent passing trade. Key money paid until August 2010 with monthly rental of 6,000 Baht. Please call Nim 081-001-8271 (T/E) or Jon 089-244-7704 (E) for full details.

Volunteer Work Permit available. If you dont mind volunteering 6hrs. a week, you can live in Thailand free of charge and hassle. call 0853881577 email: jdlsimons@yahoo.com

European photographer looking for people to photo! All shapes and sizes! Please reply with photo. bkkphoto@hotmail.com

Condo for Sale Top five nice sea view in Pattaya!! 116sq.m. 2bedrooms 3bathrooms 2balconies 3aircons on hi-fl. fully furnished, excellent design, perfect condition with LCD 42' nice atmosphere & peaceful area at Jomtien beach 1 min. walk to the beach very quick sale only 39,000/sqm. call owner 081-9332240 ask pictures pitipity@hotmail.com

South-Pattaya Studio-Apartment for rent w/Internet

Near Soi VC (Soi 17), Quiet area. 53 SqM, Fully furnished: Kitchen, Hot water, A/C + 3 Fans, Cable, DVD. 10,000 baht/month for 6+ months. www.pattaya-studio.com



Sovereign coin operated pool table. Comes with pool table light fitting, a set of illuminating balls, and triangle. Cues and rests are available with the table. I have 6 of these tables for sale. They are all almost new, and have no damage. Can deliver locally.

Discounts may apply if more than 1 table are purchased at the same time. Price is flexible. Open to sensible offers.

75,000 THB

Contact Person: Lee Location: Patt

Pattaya, South Pattaya

Phone Number: 901231497

Clavel Traveller -N", accoustic travel guitar, steel strings. Small body with normal neck. NOT a toy, but a quality instrument for excercising while on tour. Size roughly like an Ukulele w long neck. Gig bag, strap, new strings. Only played 1 hr- nearly new. Was 3500 B+ in Nong Khai, a couple of years ago (have receipt). Has been sitting in storage. Made in China, like most instruments nowadays. Bargain! 2.800.00 THB

Contact Person: Location: Mr Pekka Pattaya, Pratumnak

Phone Number: +66870560631

Brand New Sony double din 7" Inch DVD/TV/Bluetooth/Radio/Gps Function/ USB/SD Card. Plays all the normal VCD/DVD formats etc, usual standard connections for external amp Audio video etc. Boxed with Remote Control and user Manual. Costs new at tutcom Pattaya 13500bht sell for 7500bht 7,500.00 THB

Contact Person:

Kan

Location: Pattaya, East Pattaya Phone Number: 038406492....0897539751

New, never used running track, was bought for 17000 TB TREO FITNESS, 12 pre-set programms, heart rate reading, large LCD display! 0897672985, 0827098685, English CAN NEGOTIATE!!!...

11,900.00 THB

Tasha

Contact Person: Location:

Pattava, Baan Lamung

Phone Number: 897672985

English Pool table size 8 by 4 Ft for sale in near new condition. This is 6 leg wooden table with a Granite top, with pool pockets (larger and straight) and not snooker pockets (small and round). Relocating so need to sell quickly. Table is in immaculate condition. Comes with new/unused green felt. Will deliver free to any location to serious buyer. Asking 35,000 Baht. Price include fuel/set-up etc. Age of table; 5 months old. Accessories supplied with the table such as a set of pool balls, 1 triangle, 3 pool cues, chalks, a table brush and a table cover. Interested please send reply or call 0815657535.

35,000.00 THB Contact Person:

Joseph Bangko

Location: Phone Number: Bangkok 815657535

Watch BBC Iplayer, ITV player, Sky TV From Thailand for FREE with TV Anywhere

13 Jun 2011 01:17 AM

It's now possible to watch live and catch up TV from your home country; from the comfort of your own residence anywhere in the world. This service provides expats from around the world, who have an interest to stay connected with there own country's TV stations. You can also try for FREE from are download link

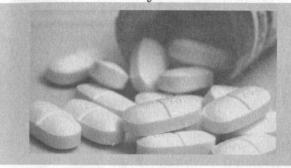
Using our foriegn based servers, you will be able to access UK, US, European and any other country that streams TV, that is normally blocked from the country you are residing. If you are an expat or tourist and frustrated at being blocked from your favourite TV stations and some websites from home, then you have come to right place.

A computer and internet connection is required

Download now from: http://www.phuket-uncovered.com/en/tv-anywhere/download

Contact Person: Max
Location: Pattaya
Phone Number: 858805170

Here's To Your Health Pattaya Pete



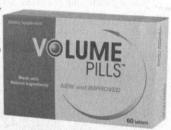
For some guys out there, they want their **volume pills** to do far more than improve their overall sexual performance. As volume pills often hold the key when it comes to improving to increasing a man's chances of conceiving and their overall fertility levels.

Read on to find out more on how to increase your fertility, your low sperm count and how volume pills could be the answer you've always been looking for.

Volume Pills and Fertility

For a lot of guys, the reason why they use **volume pills** is straight forward and simple, they want to be better in the bedroom. But, for some, the reasons for using them is far more important... **fertility.**

For some couples, when it comes time to conceiving, they can use all the help they can get. And, if it's the guy who's having problems, volume pills could be just the thing to solve those fertility issues.



The great thing about **volume pills** is that don't just help a guy out in one area, they have a number of sexual benefits and pros too. Not only can **volume pills** guarantee a better sexual performance in the sack, but they will greatly improve the number of sperm and semen you produce, which is essential if you're trying for a baby.

Testosterone is the Key

Using **volume pills** will naturally **increase testosterone** hormone level. And the more testosterone, the more semen your body is able to produce. But, the benefits don't just end there. As well an overall increase in your bodies semen producing abilities, your ejaculations will also be far more powerful as a result.



We all know that trying for a baby can be frustrating, and even a little tiring. But, with **volume pills**, you'll be ready to go again, and again and again.

You're sexual appetite will increase, and your body will be able to replenish it's semen supply at a much quicker rate, after each and every ejaculation.

There's Still More You Can Do

Taking **volume pills** will significantly improve your chances of conceiving, as well as improving your overall sexual performance and enjoyment, but there are other

steps you can take to help increase your chances further. Making just a few simple changes to your lifestyle, along with using volume pills could be all it takes to finally get her pregnant.

Cutting Out Alcohol

Believe it or not, but simply drinking alcohol can reduce your fertility by half.

Just a few drinks now and again (5 units per week) will cut your chances by half, it's insane, but it's true. This rule goes for men and women, so if you cut out the booze, make sure that your partner does too.

Alcohol effects the body in a number of bad ways, and infertility is just one of them. Regular drinking session will significantly reduce your sperm count. As well as that, your sperm are far more likely to be abnormal, and they won't be able to do their job. Drinking will also have an effect on your overall health, your immune system, and the bodies ability to absorb essential vitamins and nutrients. It's these vitamins that keep your sperm healthy, and without them, their numbers will again decrease their effectiveness will again and diminish.

Smoking? You're Joking!

Just like the alcohol, smoking is a well known cause of **infertility**, and the reason why so many men and women can't get pregnant. Basically, the more you smoke, the more you're reducing your chances of conceiving. With each additional cigarette, the more damage you're doing to yourself and your sperm.

Smoking has a very similar effect to alcohol, and will instantly start to decrease your sperm numbers, as well as increasing your numbers of abnormal and lazy sperm. The same goes for the ladies too, so if you're partner is a smoker, it's time for her to quit as well.

But, it's not just the cigarettes you have to say good bye to, drugs are a big no no too. Any form of narcotic, especially grass/weed increase your chances of **infertility**. Cutting them out completely is essential, as well as a smart move, for you, your partner, and any future children.

Choosing the Right Diet

The less healthy you are, the less healthy your sperm are. If you're heavily overweight, you eat a bad diet, get little exercise and drink too much coffee, you'll find that you're a lot less **fertile** than the next guy. All of these factors have a huge effect of your health, and will again severely decrease your chances of conceiving.

It's essential that you eat a healthy balanced diet, whilst exercising regularly and keeping your weight under control. These simple, yet extremely effective changes to your lifestyle could make all the difference. Make sure you drink plenty of water each day, as well as topping up on your essential daily vitamin intake, whilst always making better dietary food choices.

Making these quick and simple changes to your lifestyle, as well as employing the use of **volume pills** could be all it takes to get your sperm levels back up, whilst significantly increasing you, and your partners chance of conceiving.









attaya - Quickly becoming a destination of choice for Medical and Dental services.



Best Value and Service
Establishments

For many people throughout the world, Thailand has become a destination not just known for it's wonderful people, great cuisine and incredible beaches.

Medical and dental services, besides being relatively inexpensive when compared to almost everywhere else, certainly in Europe and America, are hygienic, safe and professional. Many Medical and Dental professionals have studied overseas before settling in Thailand to operate their own practices and course study curriculums utilize the English language in their training







platforms.

We present in these pages several Doctors and Dentists who understand the importance of good communication between their patients and customers and are willing to to present their services with confidence.

Most if not all, allow for free consultation so as to feel comfortable with the facility and staff before making your informed decision.

Whether you are on holiday or living here, services can be fit within your schedule and are done expeditiously and with Patient satisfaction inmind.



Rachael Gill

"Good" carbohydrates have taken center stage as one of the basis of a healthy diet. However, what is it that makes them good? For one thing, "good" carbohydrates consist of whole grains, legumes, fruits and vegetables, all of which are high in fiber.







THE FUNDAMENTALS

There are two general types of fiber; soluble and insoluble, each with its own health benefits. Soluble fiber forms a gel-like substance that delays absorption of glucose (sugar) in the intestines and assists in the prevention of cholesterol absorption. Soluble types consist of pectin's, mucilage's, beta-glucan, and oligosaccharides. Insoluble fiber on the other hand, includes parts of cell walls, such as cellulose that increases stool bulk and speeds transit of food through the gut. The best sources of soluble fiber are oats, barley, legumes, psylium, seeds and fruits such as apples, blueberries and citrus. Additionally, the best sources of insoluble fiber are cereals, especially those containing wheat bran, nuts, and certain fruits and vegetables such as cauliflower and green beans.

Though our bodies do not have the enzymes to digest fiber, a number of them are broken down by the bacteria in our intestines. Thus, another way of categorizing fiber, which some experts now prefer, is through how fermentable it is.

BENEFITS

Taken as a whole, findings from numerous studies have been promising, but knowing fiber's protective effect from other factors is complicated. First of all, fiber is not consumed in isolation. High-fiber foods tend to be rich in other potentially protective elements such as antioxidants, cholesterol-lowering sterols, and other phtyo-chemicals. Several studies show the health benefits of whole grains, fruits, vegetables and legumes, but how much this can be attributed to their fiber is unknown. Secondly, those who consume a high-fiber diet tend to have other good health habits, such as exercising regularly and not smoking, which may lower their risk of colon cancer along with other illnesses. Moreover, high-fiber foods may be beneficial merely because they tend to be low in fat plus calories and often replace meats as well as other fatty or sugary foods.

RECOMMENDED MEASURE

Dietary experts propose 14 grams of fiber for every 1,000 calories. For instance, if you are consuming 1,500 calories a day your quota of fiber should ideally be 21 grams whereas for someone who is consuming 2,500 calories per day they should incorporate 35 grams of fiber in their diet. Research suggests that individuals with diabetes should aim for a greater quantity of fiber; 15 to 25 grams per 1,000 calories.

Have a variety of foods to ensure that you get a mix of fiber compounds. Choose whole grains over refined, whole fruits over juices and also do compare food labels to check for which products contain higher amounts of fiber.

OBTAIN MORE FIBER

- Aim for nine servings of fruits and vegetables (including beans) a day, along with three servings of whole grains.
- Choose a high-fiber cereal (at least 5 grams of fiber per serving), such as bran flakes. Or mix a high-fiber cold cereal with a favorite low-fiber cereal. Eat oatmeal and other whole-grain hot cereals.
- Buy "100% whole grain" breads, breakfast cereals, crackers, and pastas. Opt for brown rice.
- Use whole-wheat instead of other whole-grain flour for bread and cakes.
- Add wheat germ, wheat bran, oat bran, nuts, ground flax seeds or other seeds to yoghurts, cereals and baked goods.
- Top cereals and yoghurts with berries and other fruits.
- Have whole fruit instead of juice.
- Consume the skins of potatoes plus other vegetables and fruits.
- Snack on dried fruit such as apricots and dried plums (prunes), which are a concentrated source of fiber.

Add fiber progressively to your diet to permit your digestive system to adjust and drink more fluids as fiber absorbs water; otherwise the fiber could actually make you constipated. Moreover, the fiber in foods tends to keep good company with several vitamins, minerals, and healthful phyto-chemicals, which add supplementary health benefits.



Useful Numbers

TAT Central Office: Region 3 (Pattaya) 0-3842-8750, 0-3842-9113 Bus Terminal (Aircon Bus) 0-3842-9877 Police Station (Pattaya) 0-3842-0802-5 Police Station (Banglamung) 0-3822-1800-1 **Tourist Police** 0-3842-9371, 1155 Fire Brigade Station 0-3822-1000 (199) Banglamung Hospital 0-3841-1511-2 Bangkok Pattaya Hospital 0-3825-9999 Pattaya Memorial Hospital
Pattaya International Hospital 0-3842-9422-4 0-3842-8374-5 Immigration Office 0-3825-2750-1 Pattaya City Hall 0-3825-3100 Post Office (Banglamung) 0-3842-8225 Post Office (Pattaya) 0-3842-9341 Post Office (Jomtien) 0-3823-1944 The Telecommunication Centre 0-3842-5319-20 The Telephone Organization 0-3842-4045-6 The Marine Police Station 0-3842-3666 Highway Police Station 0-3842-5440

Accommodation

Naklua / North Pattava Amari Orchid Resort 0-3842-8175, 0-3842-8161 Beach View Hotel 0-3842-2660-3 Best Western Bella Villa Cabana 0-3870-3205-6 Best Western Pattaya 0-3842-7061-9 Bella Villa Metro 0-3842-7061-9 Bella Villa Prima 0-3841-5750-9 Bella Villa Serviced Apartment 0-3841-5410-3 Chica Boom (Guesthouse) 0-3848-9386 Central Wong Amat Beach Resort 0-3842-6990-9 Cholchan Pattaya Resort 0-3870-2777 **Dusit Resort** 0-3842-5611-7 Garden Lodge 0-3842-9109 Green Park Resort 0-3842-6356-70-3837-0488-9 Le Pétrus (Guesthouse) 0-3871-0636 Palm Garden 0-3842-9188, 0-3842-9386 Pattaya Tower Condominium 0-3836-1160-3, 0-3842-8107-8 Prime Villa 0-3842-9398 Regent Marina Hotel 0-3842-8015, 0-3842-9298 Sea Lodge 0-3842-5128-9 Sea View Resort 0-3842-9189, 0-3842-9317 Sunshine Garden Resort 0-3842-1301, 0-3842-1300 Thai Garden Resort 0-3842-4356, 0-3842-6009

Central Pattaya

Woodlands Resort

Areca Lodge 0-3841-0123, 0-3841-0775
Chaiyapoon Inn Hotel 0-3841-5847
Diana Dragon Apartment 0-3842-3928, 0-3842-3934
Diana Millennium House 0-3841-1707-9
Golden Beach Hotel 0-3842-8891, 0-3842-9969

0-3842-1707

Grand Sole Hotel Green Hotel Loma Hotel Little Duck Hotel Max Hotel Mercure Hotel Montien Pattava Nova Lodge Palm Lodge Pattaya Centre Hotel Queen Pattava Hotel **Royal Century** Shagwell Mansions Siam Sawasdee Hotel Sunshine Hotel Thai Palace Hotel Town In Town Hotel

0-3842-8065, 0-3842-8104-5
0-3842-4692, 0-3871-0905
0-3842-5050
0-3842-8155, 0-3842-8255
0-3842-0016-7
0-3842-8779-80
0-3842-5877-8, 0-3842-0492-3
0-3842-8234, 0-3842-9915
0-3842-7800-9
0-3837-4562-3
0-3872-0329, 0-3872-0330

0-3872-0329, 0-3872-0330 0-3842-9247, 0-3842-9910 0-3842-3062-3 0-3842-6353-4

0-3842-7551-5

0-3842-0589-90

0-3842-3555

South Pattaya

Areeya Place 0-3825-2670-1, 08-9782-5627
Bonkai Resort 0-3825-2736
Central Pattaya Hotel 0-3836-4543-67
Diamond Beach Hotel 0-3842-8071
Diana Inn 0-3842-9075

Hill Beach Hotel 0-3825-0010, 0-3830-6084 Honey Inn 0-3842-8117, 0-3842-1543-4 Honey Lodge 0-3842-9133, 0-3842-9718 Lek Hotel 0-3842-5550-2

Mike Hotel 0-3842-2222-9
Pattaya Marriott Resort & Spa 0-3841-2120-23
Penthouse 0-3842-9639, 0-3871-0937

 Royal Cliff Beach Resort
 0-3825-0421

 Siam Bayshore
 0-3842-8677-79

 Siam Bayview
 0-3842-8728-9

Sugar Hut 0-3825-1686-8, 0-3836-4186-8

The Residence Garden 0-3836-4314

Jomtien

Ambassador City Jomtien 0-3825-5601 Golden Beach Resort 0-3823-1590-7 Jomtien Boathouse 0-3875-6143 Jomtien Palm Beach Resort 0-3823-1350-67 Mermaid's Beach Resort 0-3823-1907 Royal Cliff Beach Resort 0-3825-0421-40 Pattaya Park Beach Hotel 0-3825-1201-8 Sigma Resort Club Pattava 0-3823-1226-34 Jomtien Bay View 0-3825-1889-90 Mermaid's Beach Resort 0-3823-2210-16 Marine Beach Resort 0-3823-1129-31 Pattaya Park Beach Resort 0-3836-4110-20 Welcome Jomtien Beach Hotel 0-3823-2701-15 White House 0-3823-2106-7

Airlines

Bangkok Airways 0-3841-1965 Kuwait Airways 0-3841-0493 Thai Airways Int'l (TG) 0-3842-0995-7

Banks

Bangkok Bank 0-3822-2370-4 Bank of Ayudhya 0-3842-6907-8 (Thanon Pattaya, Tai Branch) 0-3842-5524-5

0-3842-7695-7 Kasikorn Bank

0-3842-8545. 0-3842-8436 Krungthai Bank

Siam Commercial Bank 0-3823-2002-3 United Overseas Bank (UOB) 0-3842-8418

Beauty Treatments

Aesthica Weight Loss & Botox Center 0-3836-2400-1 Pattava Royal Beauty Clinic 0-3841-0062

Boat Hire

Mermaids Dive School Mermaids Beach Resort 0-3823-2219. 08-77035-9334

08-1494-0186

CarRental

DV Rent-A-Car

08-1994-8420, 08-6097-9590

Cooking School

Happy Home Thai Cooking School 08-4417-5258

Credit Card Lost or Stolen

American Express Diners Club Master Card

Visa Card

0-2273-0040 0-2233-5644-5 0-2252-2212 0-2252-2212

Dive Shops

Dive South East Asia Mermaids Dive School Neptune Dive Center

0-3836-2300

0-3830-3333, 08-6143-5547 0-3872-0603, 08-6153-2636

Game

Baan Game

0-3842-0533

Golf

Bangphra Intl. Golf Club Burapha Golf Club Diana Driving Range Eastern Star Golf Course

Fairplay Mini Golf Golf Adventure

Khao Kheow Country Club Laem Chabang Intl. Country Club

Natural Park Hill Golf Club Noble Place Golf Resort

and Country Club Pattaya Country Club

Phoenix Golf & Country Club Phutaluang Royal Thai Navvi

Golf Course

0-3834-1149-50

0-3834-5151-2, 0-3834-5611-5 0-3837-0363, 0-3837-0402

0-3863-0410-7 0-3825-0318

08-9882-1584, 08-3422-6602

0-3833-8368-9, 0-1353-2511 0-3833-8351-4, 0-3837-2273

0-3839-3001-8

08-1484-9069

08-1658-3068, 08-1212-0825 0-3823-9391-6, 0-3823-9400

0-3870-1843, 0-3870-1891

Health & Fitness

Pungpon Acuncturist Clinic 08-9660-0809 Sitpholek Muaythai Sports Center 08-6561-0838

Language & Computer Schools

LC International Languages and Computer School

0-3836-1948-9

Pattava Education &

Computer School (P.E.C)

Pattava School of Language

& Computer (P.L.C)

PROGRESS Language

& Computer School Text-And-Talk Academy 0-3841-1762

0-3842-1819, 0-3836-0114

0-3837-0263, 0-3842-3639 0-3872-3101, 08-6610-5406

Limousine Service

Thai Limousine Service

0-3842-3140-1

Massage

Happy Hand Massage Siam Massage & Siam Facial Massage 03-8710-975

08-2255-0014

Medical Clinics

Dr. Olivier (See South Pattava Map) 0-3872-3600, 08-6827-6922

08-9831-4009

Eve Clinic (Dr. Jirawat) Alcoholics Anonymous

08-4563-1671 08-4564-8479

Motorcyde Rental 24 Hours

T&A

08-6824-4910, 08-9607-3686

Motorcyde Sales & Repair

Iron Horse Motorcycles

0-3837-3169

Outdoor Activities

Blue Lagoon Kiteboarding LivePlay Outdoor Stables Pattaya

08-5134-9588 0-3825-5381 08-1302-0814

Pen Pals

Gary Graeme Jones D-2. Bang Kwang Prison 117 Nonthaburi Road Nonthaburi 11000

For more information: GaryGraemeJones@googlegroups.com http://groups.google.co.uk/group/GaryGraemeJones

P h ot o grap hy

DAK

08-6068-6964

0-3836-7652

0-3841-5903

0-3842-6868

0-3841-5847

081-844-6037

Restaurants

Art Cafe Crazy Dave's Bar & Diner Da Tiziano

Eagle Café & Restaurant Edelweiss Fondue House & Restaurant El Paso

Gossip Cafe Hippo Restaurant & Piano Bar

Hongsa Kitchen Hot Stone Grill H2O Pub L' Olivier

Le Pétrus Le Saigon Bayview Linda's Restaurant

08-4945-5151 0-3872-4133 0-3836-1192 0-3823-2125 0-3825-0400 08-1336-3546

0-3825-1669 0-3871-0636 0-3825-0329

0-3825-2726

Lobster Pot 0-3842-6083, 0-3842-4389 Mata Hari 0-3825-9799 Mike's Mexican Restaurant 0-3836-4593 Molly Malone's Irish Pub 0-3871-1094 0-3836-1907, 08-6318-4883 Mr. 99 Nana Bar & Honey Inn Massage 08-6556-0816 Oriental Star / Oriental Moon 0-3848-9157-8 O²xvbar 08-4866-7722 Palmers Bar & Restaurant 0-3842-2688 0-3870-9062 Pattaya Fishing Park Penthouse Restaurant B-Buffet 0-3842-9639, 0-3871-0937 Rosie O'Gradys 0-3836-1686 0-3842-1421-30 Royal Cliff Beach Resort Ruen Thai Restaurant 0-3842-5911, 0-3842-5273 0-3841-3795, 08-1949-8778 Sai 3 Fishing Park 1 Shell Tangkay Seafood 0-3822-5989-90 Teguila Reef Cantina & Restaurant 0-3841-4035 The Captain's Corner 0-3836-4314 0-3871-1325 The Coffee Club The Lighthouse 0-3836-2018 The Mini-Golf Pub 0-3825-0318 The Rai 0-3842-1890 The Rice Mill 0-3841-2120 Ext. 1361 The Tai 0-3837-4744

University

08-9827-9563

Asian University Tel: 038-253-700

Volterra

Website: www.asianust.ac.th E-Mail: admissions@asianust.ac.th

Visa & Legal Services

Asia Guarantee Service Co., Ltd. 0-3871-0915

PAPPACo, Ltd.: All legal services including Visas and Work Permits

Main Office: Thepprasit Road

Tel: 038-301-048-50 Fax: 038-301-045

Mobile: 084-111-7999

E-Mails: PAPPA@CSLoxinfo.com, DrewNoyes@GMail.com

GET INVOLVED!!

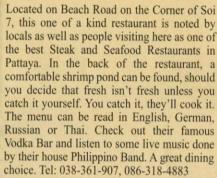
We would appreciate your comments, your stories, your ideas, your feelings and impressions of those things relative to Pattaya. Maybe you'll be published in an upcoming issue.

Please e-mail rossetti@ptty2.loxinfo.co.th

Pattaya's Popular Dining Choices

seafood







The Coffee Club

Located opposite Sizzler on the ground floor of The Royal Garden Plaza, 2nd Rd Pattava, Casual ALL DAY Dining combining Western café style food, Thai Food and excellent coffee. Great breakfast. sandwiches, pastas, steak, chicken and fish. A wide selection of meals to satisfy all tastes at great value prices. Open daily 8am-11pm. No service charge, VAT included in price. Licensed, Credit Cards Welcomed. Tel: 038-711-325

Rim Talay Beachfront Restaurant



Is located on Soi 18 North of the Dolpin Roundabout and straight down to the beach. Probably the only restaurant of it's kind with this kind of ambience. Over 200 menu items in 5 languages and three separate bar areas make this a favorite pick for those "in the know". Open 10 AM until late. Check out their Beach Bakery and grab a spot on the beach or in their well shaded bar areas.

For Taxi: ถนนพัทยา-นาเกลือ ช.18 ตรงไปทางชายหาด ทางซายมือ ติดกับ เช็นทารา แกรนด์ มิราจ รีสอร์ท



Jomtien & Thapraya Road
Popular Dining Choices

The Captain's Corner Steak House

Do not leave Pattaya
before you have enjoyed this very
popular restaurant.
Grand Texan Style
Bar-B-Cue "Eat All You Can"
Steaks and Seafood and much more.
Every evening from 18:00
for only 395 Baht + vat
children under 12 half price + vat
in the garden with soft live music, or
at the beautiful pool terrace.
Captain's Corner is located next to
TheResidence Garden and Mr. Mac's Hotel.
Call 038-364-314 for FREE air-conditioned
pick up service within Pattaya-Jomtien. Live
Elvis show every Saturday & Sunday evening
at 21:00. http://www.theresidencesuites.com



Located on Thappraya Road going in the direction of Jomtien on the left side past the overpass coming from South Pattaya, Mata Hari is noted as being one of Pattaya's premier restaurants for consistent quality and value for money. An innovative menu offering traditional European Cuisine and an extensive wine menu. A beautiful Lounge Bar is available for before or after dinner drinks.

Tel: 038-259-799 or 081-762-2359.

For Taxi: ร้านอาหาร มาตาฮารี อยู่ในเนอร์วานา เพลส ไปทางจอมเทียน ซอย 15 ก่อนถึงสี่แยก

Linda's Restaurant

Excellent dining, Seafood, Thai Cuisine, Pizza and International menu. Linda's restaurant is of European Management, and a popular dining choice. Good service and delicious Steaks, Seafood and much more. Try our home made, Lasagna, Pizza, Mixed Grill, Crème Caramels. You'll enjoy it!

Air – conditioned or outdoor terrace area available. Open daily 8:00 AM to 01:00 AM Tel. 038-252-726 or 087-813-0115

website: www.lindasrestaurant.com

Located opposite Jomtien Complex, Thapraya Road.

For Taxi: เลยวิวทะเล 2 ตรงข้ามจอมเทียนคอมเพล็ก ด้านซ้ายมือ ก่อนถึงโค้งหนุมาน







A brand new luxurious facility located off of Theprasit and priced as low as 900 Baht

Accommodation

70 air conditioned exclusive suites including spacious studio and 1-bedroom, all with private balcony and Stylishly designed solid wood furniture.



Facilities

Laundry and dry cleaning service Wireless internet throughout Outdoor Swimming pool & Sundeck (READY to SERVICE in November 1 st, 2011)



Room service
Tour counter
Mini-Van service
Transportation desk
Email, Internet, fax service
Car parking
CCTV security system

Coming from Jomtien, take Thepprasit down to Soi 6 and make a left. This nis also known as Soi Korpai. The Crystal Palace is about 500 meters down on the left side.

Restaurant

Tel. +66 82 783 3999 ,+66 38 301365 ,Fax. +66 38 301 366 Email : rsvn@lkpattaya.com, crystal@lkpattaya.com



Guide to buying in Pattava owning A condominium

Purchasing a condominium is by far the most popular and relatively straigh forward method for a foreigner to acquire property in Pattaya. The Condominium Act of Thailand allows foreigners to acquire up to, but not more than, 49 percent of the total space of a condominium project. Funding for the condo purchase must be transferred from abroad into a Thai bank account.

Although purchasing a condominium is fairly simple process, you should attempt to gather all necessary information on the actual or potential risks involved in the purchase. You should obtain and review every contract that will be signed in connection with the condo purchase and the rules and regulations or the by-laws of the condominium. You should also acquire all other relevant documents pertaining to:

- 1. the land on which the condo is or will be built,
- 2. the financing of the project, and
- 3. the identity and qualifications of the owner, developer, and/or managing company.

After conducting due diligence, you should be comfortable with purchasing the condo and you should know, among other items:

- 1. that the owner's title is good,
- 2. that your title will be good,
- 3. that the owner, developer, and/or managing company are who they claim to be and are sufficiently capitalized.
- 4. that there are no registered encumbrances on the property
- 5. that the terms of the contract are clear and reasonable.
- 6. the fees that you will pay, including fees related to the purchase of the condo, the transfer of the condo, monthly maintenance, and the sinking fund, and
- that a good and reputable management company will belooking after the project in an orderly and transparent manner (Beware of development companies appointing their own managers as they could be acting with ulterior motives in regards to repairs during the default liability period when the developer is responsible for repairs.).

If you are purchasing property in Thailand "off-plan" (or prior to completion of the construction). Be sure to enlist the service of a lawyer who will ensure that the following





important topics, among others, are addressed in the contract:

- 1 time frame.
- 2. price,
- 3. payment penalties,
- 4. developers default,
- 5. guarantee that your payment will be fully refunded should



- 6. building floor plan and specifications,
- 7. alternative dispute resolution in the form of arbitration. The above due diligence will apply, in part, to the

transactions described below.

Lease of Land

property

Foreigners are generally not allowed to own land in Thailand. Foreigners may, however, lease land. The maximum lease period in Thailand for a residential property is 30 years. Land offices are currently refusing to register leases that provide for a total lease period, including any renewals, of more than 30 years. After 30 years, the lease will automatically extinguish. Addendums to leases may include further lease periods resulting in, technically, 60 or 90 year terms. What happens after the original 30 year lease period has lapsed has long been shrouded by myths and over-zealous sales pitches. The renewal terms in the addendums are merely contractual obligations by the parties to renew the lease. If the owner of the land does not wish to renew the lease, it would be up to a court to force the owner to perform pursuant to the addendum.

Superficies and Usufruct

A superficies may be granted pursuant to Section 1410 of the Civil and Commercial Code. It is essentially a right that can be granted to an individual, irrespective of nationality, to own the "buildings, structures or plantations" on the land. This right may be granted for a maximum period of 30 years or for the life of either the owner of the land or the person granting the right. A superficies may prove to be useful if you have a Thai spouse. Your Thai spouse may purchase a property on a freehold basis and register a superficies in your favor to give you more added protection as a foreigner.

A usufruct is the legal right to use and derive profit or benefit from property belonging to another person. Thailand has adopted this principle in Section 1417 of the Civil and Commercial Code, which provides that an "immovable property may be subjected to a usufruct by virtue of which the usufructuary is entitled to the possession, use and enjoyment of the property." A usufruct can be registered for the life of the usufructuary or for a maximum of 30 years. During the period of the usufruct, the owner cannot sell or transfer the property and you can rent out the property and receive rental income.

Thai Company

A foreigner can set up a Thai limited company and buy land in the name of that company, Note, however, that the Thai limited Company must be owned 100% by Thai persons at the time that the land is transferred into the name of the Thai limited company. Stringent measures have been put in place by land offices to ensure that the Thai shareholders in a company are indeed genuine. After the property is owned by the Thai limited Company, a foreigner can own 49% or less of the shares of the Thai limited company.

Thai Spouse

A Thai spouse can purchase land in Thailand. The foreign spouse must sign a declaration stating that the funds used to buy the land belong to the Thai spouse and also that the foreign spouse waives any right to the ownership of the land. The foreign spouse should register a lease, superficies, or usufruct on the land to protect his or her interests.

Land Measurement

Land in Thailand is measured in rai, ngan and wah. Landprices are expressed in baht per rai or baht per wah for smaller plots. Below are the applicable conversion measurements.

1 sq. wah = 4 sq. m.

1 acre = 2.471 rai or 43,560 sq. ft. 1 ngan = 100 wah or 400 sq. m. 1 hectare = 6.25 rai or 10,000 sq. m. 1 rai = 4 ngan or 1600 sq. m.

Thailand Property Taxes

Applicable property taxes vary based upon the party paying the taxes and the purpose of the taxes. A brief outline of Thailand property taxes is set forth below.

Transfer fee	0.01% of the registered value of the property
Stamp duty	0.5% of the registered value of the property
Withholding tax	1% of the appraised value of the property
	of market value, whichever is higher
Specific business tax	0.01% of the appraised value of the property

of market value whichever is higher if selling

within 5 years

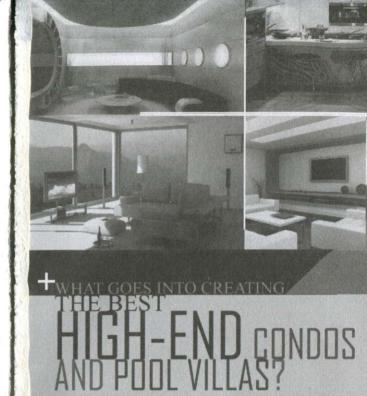
Land and usage tax 12.5% of the assessed rental value of the property if the property is used to generate

rental income

Lease registration fee 1.1% of the appraised rental value or market

value of the property



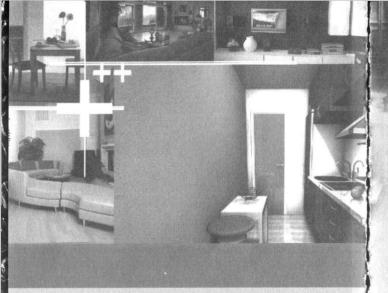


By Jack Miles

Although, the market for pool villas and high-end condos in the Kingdom appears to still be relatively stable, developers and private owners alike are more keen than ever to offer something special to entice high net worth buyers.

The reason for the resilience in the market may well be due to the fact that there are plenty of people who benefit from opportunities even in poor economic times. Those who are shrewd often find that recessions provide just as much profit opportunity, if not more so, than in boom times. Yet with the market in Thailand providing a very wide range of high end property offerings, astute buyers may be looking for something just that little bit more special than the norm of late.

Interior design now goes a long way to securing a sale. The use of very modern boutique style aesthetics is almost expected; yet some developers have been able to go one step further to create something even more unique. By combining ultra modern design with some carefully chosen traditional features, buyers can be wooed in a market which is increasingly competitive.



Providing some examples of fine art may be one way to attract those with a good eye for detail. It is also a very suitable way to justify high asking prices. Some care needs to be taken though to ensure that any chosen extras will fit with the theme of the original interior design.

When it comes to facilities and features of the more modern stature, extras such as a Jacuzzi room, or an outside terrace can certainly be a draw. Space that can be designed for special uses will make a property that much more valuable.

For pool villas, a good sized pool along with privacy is important. Planning an interesting and functional shape is not difficult and could make all the difference. The overall design of the pool itself should serve to highlight those areas around it too. Adding greenery and external water features to combine a pool area and garden setting works well, even when a separate garden is offered with the property. Carefully chosen poolside furniture and well designed outside lighting can provide a compelling finishing touch.

When it comes to interior design, achieving the feeling of spaciousness whilst at the same time providing a feeling of warmth and comfort is key to securing a sale. Much is down to optical illusions, with color and light sources playing a big part. Wise choice of floor tiles, and their orientation can further create space even in smaller areas. For kitchens, functionality combined with clean lines can ensure that the space is welcoming and still appearing to be of a good size.

For lounge areas, a choice of modern soft furnishings and wall mounted LCD / Plasma flat screen TV's will go a long way to providing a living space that is considered to be spacious and chic. Dining areas are easy to create and can instantly add a feel that is akin to a classy restaurant setting.

Providing split-level areas can help to give a unique feel to the property and can create space by making a room appear to have separate areas. Interesting staircase options also provide a special look. At the end of the day, the feeling that the buyer has secured uniqueness is all-important.

Bedrooms are usually expected to be spacious and with thoughtfully conceived storage. Most high-end villa and condo buyers would likely expect a walk-in wardrobe and an en-suite bathroom in the master and second bedrooms. Extra touches such as a make up or dressing area, and a separate area for business needs will add elegance and value.

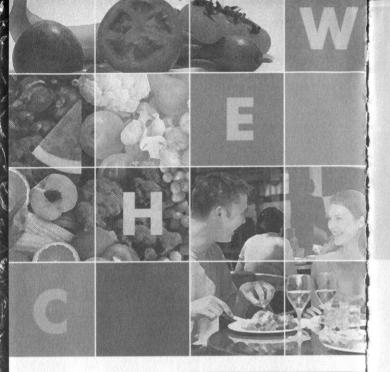
Look for dark wood finishes with modern lines as these are now squarely in vogue. For soft furnishing, creams, oranges and reds blend well. Light colored rustic close-fitting ceramic tiles or wood floors in pine provide a combination of light airy space and contrast with the above choice of furnishings.

Additional functional rooms are easy to add and will help any property to stand out. A snooker room, a Sauna and/or a private gym don't necessarily have to take up too much space and may look better than an extra bedroom or two. Thus for an existing owner, converting rooms in this way can instantly lead to extra value. For developers looking to plan a new offering, these extras could make all the difference.

When it comes to condominiums, developers are looking to incorporate these extras into common areas. For the astute buyer then, one of the key demands is that common facilities are every bit as luxurious as would be the case with a private villa. The number of users is also important with most high-end condo buyers seeking out smaller developments so as to retain an exclusive edge when it comes to enjoying facilities.

Finally, security and the upkeep of common areas are always important to buyers, and so whether it be villa or a high-end condo development, good security and a responsive management team is essential. When it comes to the rental market, high net worth individuals will likely be looking for all of the same facilities and standards that buyers will already be expecting.

By considering all of the above aspects it is possible to create a property that is truly stunning and that will hold definite appeal for high net worth buyers and tenants alike.



...Chew away your Anxiety and Anger....

by Rachael Gill

of today's busy life. In the fast pace, demanding situations that brazen out to us almost daily, anger and anxiety becomes our constant cohort, so much so that some even stop noticing that these are wrecking their lives. They feel that it is perfectly natural and normal for them to sulk or blow their top every day. Then there are others who concede that these are having a ruinous effect on them but do not know how to rid themselves of it.

Perhaps you already are trying out meditation, counseling, or mood-elevating medications. To obtain full benefits from any of these remedies, it is necessary to carry out effortless lifestyle changes that boost their efficacy and aids you in winning your battle against stress hands down. Nonetheless, it is ignored by a majority of people and this is not

because it is too difficult. Rather, it happens to be so easy that very few fully appreciate its importance or realize that it can revolutionize their life. Believe it or not, it works like a charm. All that is to be done is to give a fair trail of 21 days, a minimum obligatory period for the positive results to start flowing. The benefits are assured to go beyond your expectations and there are two other reasons to give it try, one it costs nothing and two, it provides numerous benefits.

Set aside half an hour for each of your meals. This period must not be encroached upon unless the "pressing task" that you have at hand happens to be a matter of life and death. First, decide how small you can make each of your morsels. Once you have put that chunk in the mouth, make sure that you do not swallow it till you have chewed it 32 times.

Whether you keep count by mentally saying one to 32 or not is entirely your choice. Just ensure that the food is masticated so thoroughly that it turns into a liquid. This may seem to be quite an ordeal at the beginning; however, things will become a lot easier after a week or so.

In just three short weeks you will find to your surprise that your anger and anxiety are giving way to peace and tranquility. It will no longer be a question of persuading yourself not to give in to earlier destructive traits, these will just not arise from within as often as they used to.

The extent of stress reduction will depend on the intensity of your initial problem. A person who was prone to extreme temper tantrums to begin with would not become as level headed as another person who started off as fairly even-tempered. After all, several other factors come into play but the results will be dramatic in each and every case.

All the food must be suitably broken down before it can be absorbed into the blood stream. Opposing to the popular belief, digestion does not start in the stomach but in the mouth itself. The elaborate process is carried out by the amazing system of the human body through mixing nearly eight liters of saliva, three liters of gastric juice – mainly hydrochloric acid – secreted by some 35

million glands in the lining of the stomach (destroying bacteria in the food, clots milk and splits protein), bile from liver (breaking big globules of fat into minuscule ones that can be processed by pancreatic enzymes) and more than two liters of intestinal juices from innumerable glands.

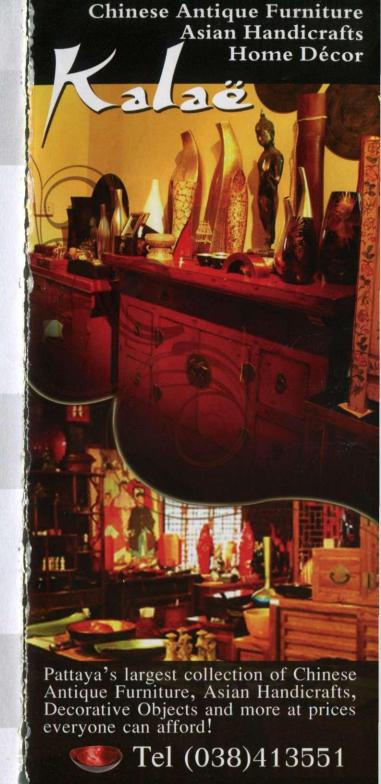
Enzymes in the saliva, including ptyalin or amylase, which converts cooked starches into sugars, and lipase which digests fat cannot be produced elsewhere. So if you swallow your food without proper chewing, it will remain undigested. The result will be deprivation of essential nutrients even if you are over-eating; it is this deficiency that makes you feel melancholy and despondent.

Ironically, wrongly eaten food initially causes stress and this further hampers the digestive process. Thus a vicious cycle starts with one problem aggravating the other. Although how our stomach and intestines behave is beyond our control, we can certainly control what happens in our mouth.

The old proverb, "Drink your food and eat your water", must be treated as a mandatory instruction as the body only makes limited amounts of digestive acids and juices. The stomach can only churn the food, not grind it, which is the job of your teeth. If there are lumps in the food which goes from your mouth down your gullet, the digestive system instead of putting them to good use becomes overburdened, leading to constipation. This further enhances the sensation of lethargy and sluggishness.

Proper chewing affords a special bonus to weight watchers. By doing so, you get the feeling of fullness much before you are through with your meal. The undigested excess food accumulates in the system, leading to weight gain and a heightened sense of helplessness and wretchedness. Proper chewing protects you from these problems.

Just recount the benefits that you derive by just moving your jaw and give chewing a chance. Make your 32 teeth or as many as you are left with do their job unremittingly because no other body part can do it.







We offer complete range of PVC Windows &Door frames of all shapes and sizes. It is our promise to offer you the very best quality products along with the finest service accompanied by true value for mon to our valued customer



Office Tel: 038 422 669 (Mon - Sat 9am to 5pm) Office Fax: 038 422 670

http://www.europycwindows.com/emailform.php

Boutique VIP Club

or Spa / Resort private listing

Located in East





- secluded but easy to find location off main road
- 1,000 Sq. Metres fitted and beautifully furnished
- 5 rooms with kitchen and bath
- Outside bar area with Whirlpool Jacuzzi
- 1 Thai style house 36 Sq. M







B. 500,000 per three year Key money
B. 40,000 rent per month Purchase pric – B .7 M.

Contact details: eastpattaya@yahoo.com

Great Price reduction only 11 million baht

4 km from the sea, with private sand beach with palm trees around a big saltwater-system swimming pool with jacuzzi

and private bar.
Land area 1040sqm.
House 400sqm
15m sand beach with palm trees on big (15x12m)overflow
-system pool with saltwater
-system.

"unique" 4 swim-in bathrooms (you can swim from the bathrooms into the pool) Jacuzzi..private outside bar with special drinks cooler, billard table. 2 kitchens (1 inside and 1 outside kitchen) : American freezer

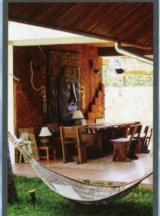
-fridge with ice machine, oven ,microwave, stainless -steel BBQ.

Granite tops every where..

The house is fully furnished,

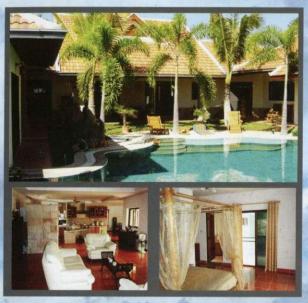
"special" big fans in the cavity walls are keeping the house cool!

stainless steel guttering, double car park with automatic gate,



landscaped garden with sprinkler system 2m high granite wall all around for 100% privacy

- living room 30x8m
- 4 bedrooms+1 maid room
- bathroom
- 6 Daikin Air-con Cable TV Phone line, Internet
- private pool, saltwater-system 15x12m pool
- Own water supply 85m well 20.000 lit tanks -3-fase electrics
- 24 hr security. infra red alarm system



11 million Baht (+5% selling fee) sold with company, seller pays the transfer of director 3 years full guarantee E-mail: Pattayarealestate@yahoo.com







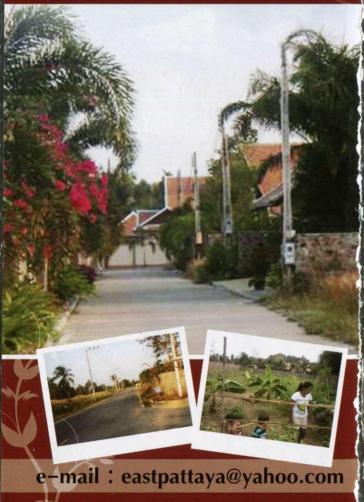




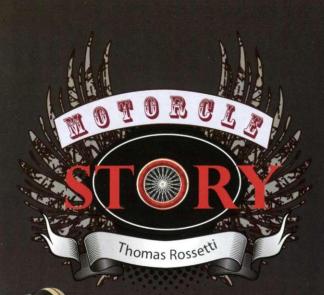
Land for Sale

Located only 2km from Regent School

2 Plots – 1 RAI each at B 3M per plot I Plot – 1 RAI 50 TW – B 3.5M



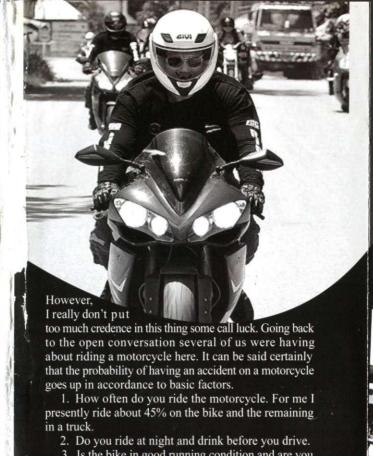




Hello Motorcycle Enthusiasts!

I seem to get asked often from guys who are especially on holiday here the in's and out's of riding a big bike in Pattaya and whether it is a good idea to do so. Regardless of whether the bike is big or small, accidents affect all of us pretty much the same way. It was mentioned to me recently in conversation how lucky I have been in that I have only gone down once on a motorcycle in Thailand. That was in Koh Samui. I suppose I could agree to say I was a bit unlucky in that going around a turn near Big Rock, I found a large truck in my lane. There were only two fast options available to me at that time. Either I could hit the truck head on or go off the road into a drainage ditch. I took the latter option and remember almost every mili-second of riding that one out until I hit a large boulder and was sent airborne with the bike and yours truly landing in a hard to access and out of sight from the main road ditch.





3. Is the bike in good running condition and are you familiar with its nuances. I think most would agree that every bike has its own "personality" that is discovered over time. Any distraction that takes you from putting complete concentration on riding creates a chance for an accident to occur.

4. Of course if you combine any or all of these factors that create a positive in your probability column your chances of going down on the bike are more likely. This is something most do not think about.

One thing I would like to mention is your ability to be pro-active while riding: Actually, this term is used a lot in Executive Protection and Security situations but just for a moment to demonstrate my point I will use it.

It's the idea of figuring out quickly what could happen in any situation before it occurs and creating solutions or in the case of riding, evasive actions beforehand. In motorcycle terms, we call it, Search, Predict and Act.I truly believe that understanding and practicing this principle of riding IS the difference between riding a lifetime of

scanning the environment. (not for women ;-) but rather for those things on the street that can create challenges. I usually like to test myself and when stopping at a light scan in every direction to observe those things that could become a problem for me or for others. The 5 people on a motorcycle. The intoxicated Riders. The person talking on their mobile. Once you search these situations, you then predict, what can happen in a situation whereas you may be involved because of perhaps, close proximity to this Rider or to a domino effect that could possibly happen in a sequence of predictable events. Then you act to avoid the situation. When you practice this for a long time it becomes second nature. When you just start using this methodology it can perhaps be a challenge. I have a friend who told me that when he initially was aware of this concept and he started to

no incidents and meeting those who have gone down continuously throughout their lives.

Let me explain.

While riding you are continuously searching or

This in itself sometimes can qualify as a hazard that sometimes we need to avoid. Nevertheless, the roads of Pattaya can be a tough learning ground for riding a motorcycle and if you are on holiday and considering the idea of renting a bike, do realize that it is very inexpensive to get around on Baht buses and moto taxis and most times it can even add to your fun experience here. Better safe than sorry as they say. Or better put, Search, Predict and Act. Ride Safe and Enjoy!

practice it he found himself driving too slow.